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New Zealanders in Cassino Held Down By German Forces

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, March 25 (AP).—New Zealand troops stampeding to drive northward through Cassino were pinned down in their southern section of the city bled town today by highly-trained German parachute troops ordered to hold their positions at all costs.

Berlin and Rome radios broadcast reports that Allied forces have launched strong attacks against the Nazi troops in the western and northern sectors of Cassino. The broadcasts were unconfirmed from Allied sources.

The New Zealanders and the parachutists were fighting stubbornly and throwing tons of shells at one another, but without effecting much change in the general situation, Allied headquarters announced.

The Germans, however, managed to move three more tanks into the lobby of the Continental Hotel, and a bitter fight between tanks and artillery also raged around the Hotel des Roses.

Artillery fire which shook the mountainside battle area also reached to Isernia to the rear in the Allied lines sought to prevent the Germans from strengthening their hold on the Verdun-like Cassino sector.

But the Germans, commanded by Lt.-Gen. Richard Heidrich to hold at all costs, were believed to have the advantage of ancient tunnels honeycombing Abbey Hill through which they were reinforcing their front line defenders.

The first day's attack which followed the heavy bombing of Cassino March 15 left the Germans holding approximately one-quarter of the town—the quarter centred about the Continental Hotel and the rail station town on the road to Rome leading around Monastery Hill. The relative position of the two armies have varied only by a few building since then.

At the Anzio bridgehead the Germans tried to penetrate Allied defence positions with tanks and were believed to have lost two near Carroceto and five others west of Aprilia. The Germans kept up a rain of shells on the bridgehead and there also were flashes between patrols.

Allied headquarters announced heavy bombing attack at the railyards at Rimini and Ancona in the north yesterday while medium and a number of planes including Leghorn.

The Allied Liberators ran into at least 18 flak fields in the north and the Germans also flew at least 30 sorties over the bridgehead. The operations cost the Germans at least 16 planes while 11 Allied aircraft failed to return.

20 Years for Woman Spy

DETROIT, March 25 (AP).—Three women and two men who confessed violations of the Espionage Act were sentenced in United States District Court today to prison terms ranging from five to 20 years.

Grace Buchanan-Dines, 34-year-old Canadian-born cosmopolite of Detroit, Federal Bureau of Investigation as leader of the group that sought to furnish Nazi Germany with information concerning America's industrial war effort, was sentenced to the 12 year imprisonment.

Others sentenced: Mrs. Theresa Behrens, 20 years; Mr. Emma Elke Leonhardt, five years; her husband, Carl J. W. Leonhardt, and Walter J. Abt, 10 years, each.

A fifth was denied a the court pronounced her sentence.

Yet to be sentenced is Mrs. Marthanne von Moltke, wife of a suspended language instructor at Wayne University, Detroit, according to the District Attorney's office she has volunteered additional information and an investigation is underway.

Of the two others indicted by the grand jury here last Autumn, Dr. Hans Thomsen, Detroit physician, obstetrician, was convicted and was sentenced to the penitentiary for 15 years' imprisonment. C. Harvey Gibson, Detroit banker, and Bernhard Bestarvet Hoffman, former merchant seaman, were dismissed on the ground that he was dead. Hoffman's death was subsequently was declared sane by a psychiatric lunacy commission and has been released from custody

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Willkie Says American People Entertain Fear of the Peace

WAUKESHA, Wis., March 25 (CP). —Wendell L. Willkie tonight declared the Republican party as a political rooting place next Fall for "millions of tired New Dealers," providing the G.O.P. pursues "the right course."

"The right course," he said, "would be neither the paternalistic regimented society of the present Administration nor the other extremes of narrow nationalism and economic tyranny. Rather, it would embrace encouragement of individual initiative, economic liberalism and broad international co-operation to maintain peace once it comes."

The American people, he asserted, are "magnificently organized and ably well united in war, but they are afraid of the peace," of what will happen after the war, having "lost their self-confidence after living so long under a paternalistic Government, which adopted a policy of solving their problems for them through detailed regulations, multiple directives and deficit spending," instead of helping them find their own solutions.

Willkie, in a speech at Concord, N.H., before that state's recent primary, discussed the "fear of the peace" theme and referred to an article about it in Harper's by Bernard de Voto, one of the magazine's editors. He sent the Concord speech to De Voto, with a letter, and on night read excerpts from a reply from De Voto, in which the historian described himself as a "tired New Dealer."

AGREES WITH GENERAL BURDEN

De Voto said: "Your (Concord) speech is ok, by very near, the heart of the problem and I agree entirely with its general burden. The fear of peace is in large part due to our fear of confidence in ourselves, in our ability to manage our society, in our ability to master our economy.

"In fact," De Voto stated, "as a tired New Dealer, I am willing to go farther than you do in this speech. I voted for the New Deal three times and I have agreed with perhaps 60 per cent of its thinking and perhaps 40 per cent of its ad hoc measures. Well, over the years I have come to believe that the Administration—I do not mean Mr. Roosevelt alone, but rather the whole complex of effective power—does not truly accept democratic postulates on which it is supposed to be based.

"I think it has been increasingly critical about them." De Voto's letter continued, "increasingly disdainful not only of democratic procedures, but of basic democratic beliefs as well. I find too much willingness not to circumvent constitutional procedures, but to ignore the popular will and to be dishonest with the people."

Russian Front

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Franz Von Papen, German Ambassador to Turkey, as having declared that the German army "perhaps would abandon Bessarabia, establish a Carpathian Mountain defence line, and try to plug the 130-mile gap between the mountains and the Black Sea with German and satellite troops to defend the Rumanian Ploesti oil regions "at all costs."

A Russian assault across the Dniester toward Czernowitz (Czernauti) was expected shortly.

Seventy miles southeast of Czernowitz, Rumania's third largest city, other Soviet units attacking westward by Bessarabia on a 65-mile front captured Zagalanoy, only eight miles from the Pruth River, boundary of Rumania proper. They also were only 28 miles north of Ismail, key big Rumanian rail hub just beyond the Pruth.

To the East, Russian forces attacking southward along the Lwow-Odessa railway, cut the Pervomaysk-Bivlil escape railway with the capture of Bobotsevo and Kvendorovo and began fighting there way into the outskirts of the big city of Balta, a few miles east of the railway, 110 miles northwest of Odessa, and 75 miles from the main German escape route the Odessa-Tiraspol line which extends into Rumania to imperilled Jassi.

Parachute troops made wholesale arrests, including all Liberals, Social Democrats and trade union leaders they could discover.

The Vichy Propaganda Minister complains that French patriots in the Haute Savoie region are receiving regular flow of money, food and arms dropped by Allied aircraft over France. Trains continue to be derailed and banks blown up. French Army officers are joining the guerrillas.

No decisions apparently have yet been reached in Washington about the future currency policy and plans, says The Times editorially. There is confusion in official United States policy, for it calls for removal of trade restrictions and expansionism of discriminating trade agreements, also the keeping up of prices by controlling supplies. Yet at the same time that policy finds room for a wheat agreement based on the very methods reprobated in theory.

As regards present divergencies of views between Britain and the United States, they ought not, says The Times, to grow insurmountable. What is needed now is free discussion of theories and an agreement instead to increase production, facilitate distribution, and promote exchange of goods and services.

From Europe

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diplomatic correspondent of The Times. It may be that there there is not full occupation but only a movement of troops across to meet the invading Red Army.

The Rumanians certainly appear to have lost heart for further battles. Much depends on Hitler's summons to Dictator Antonescu. His departure from Bucharest can not yet be confirmed from trustworthy sources. He will probably have no choice but meet Hitler's demands since defence of Rumanian oil fields is vital to Germany.

As for Hungary, there are reports of resistance, but the Germans keep on insisting all is quiet. Premier Kallay is now believed to have taken refuge in the Turkish embassy in Budapest.

The Stockholm correspondent of The Times says that at his interview with Hitler, Admiral Horthy asked for return of those Magyar troops still on the eastern front, and also a pledge that the Germans would not retreat through Hungary and make it the base of operations against the Russians.

While Horthy was with Hitler the German representative in Budapest sent to the Foreign Office there and announced the German troops were occupying the country to prevent treachery on Badoglio lines, and to ensure the safety of German troops by wiping out 1,00,000 Jewish refugees and residents in Hungary.

Burma Battle

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nese force from Jambu Bum, the dividing line between the Hukawng and Mogaung Valleys.

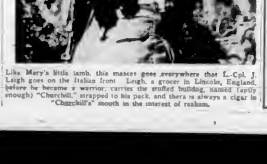
ENGAGEMENTS ON BOTH SIDES

Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's communique announced engagements in progress on both sides of the Tamu-Imphal road, with the Japanese making some progress southeast of Imphal, where their closest patrols previously were reported 38 miles from the Allied base for operations in Burma. Air reconnaissance was increasing.

Stiff fighting is reported on the northeastern approach where some Japanese units made further progress in the Sinzra Hill tracts near Ukhrul, while on was forced to withdraw.

To the south, where the last reports put the Japanese attackers 30 miles from Imphal, British troops pressed further attacks against Japanese road blocks across the road leading to Tiddim and one was wiped out. Yesterday's communique re-

A Tommy and His Pal



Like Mary's little lamb, this mascot goes everywhere that L.-Col. J. Leigh goes on the Italian front. Leigh, a grocer in Lincoln, England, before he became a warrior, carries the stuffed bulldog, named (why enough) "Churchill," strapped to his pack, and there is always a cigar in "Churchill's" mouth in the interest of realism.

Air Raids

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An indication that new operations against Germany were under way tonight came from a German radio which broadcast that "several nuisance planes are over Northwest Germany and are heading toward Central Germany."

The Berlin blow climaxed one of the most terrific 80-hour bombing periods of the war leaving four of Germany's great war centres burning tonight.

In addition to the capital there are the naval base of Kiel, the aircraft manufacturing and rail city of Frankfurt and the ball-bearing factory centre of Schweinfurt.

The Berlin raid was the fifth since Wednesday, in which either by day or night more than 1,000 planes have struck the Reich in single attacks.

In the 60 hours up to dawn today at least 10,000 tons of United States bombs have been unloaded on Germany and occupied territory by Allied planes.

In those 60 hours nearly 7,000 Flortress (Fortress) flights have been flown against Germany from the West, probably 3,200 of them by heavy bombers.

60,000 Coal Miners Stay Out of Pits

LONDON March 25 (CP) —Some 60,000 coal miners stayed away from pits in the Yorkshire area today and another 25,000 were still out in the Doncaster area despite an announcement last night that mine owners had agreed to adjust wages of skilled workers.

The president of the Yorkshire Mine Owners' Association expressed confidence, however that a final settlement would be reached tonight.

Monty Congratulates Canadian

Sigrns. T. P. McKee, of North Bay, Ont., a member of "B" group, C.R.U., the winning team, is congratulated by Gen. Montgomery, who presented the medals to the winners. Gen. Montgomery was an interested spectator at the recent Canadian Army hockey final in Britain.

Want to See Ban on Exports

LONDON, March 25 (CP).—Quicken ion from Inshore for modification of the 1941 agreement covering Great Britain from exporting British-made counterparts of American Lend-Lease goods is developing in London economic circles, where it is argued the mutual aid supply system is no longer a one-way track.

The agreement—known as the "Export White Paper"—was reached with the intent that receipt of Lend-Lease goods from America should not be allowed to accrue directly or indirectly to postwar benefit of British export trade. It was amplified by regulations deemed in some quarters here as "unnecessarily restrictive".

The Economist, British weekly, declared that if the principle of the paper "is to be sustained, it is to be hoped that the same restrictions will be placed on American exports as are placed on British."

It was recently disclosed that consultations were under way in Washington aimed at possible modification of the agreement, eliciting protests from several members of Congress.

Speed Up Draft

WASHINGTON, March 25 (CP).—Speeded-up draft machinery pushed men 25 and under closer to army service tonight, but it meant no lessening of the induction pace for eligibles beyond that age.

Local boards were directed to review younger men first, but draft officials said men over 25 who have any sort of occupational deferment will move right along on the fit-to-serve service assembly line with that deferment expires.

Some of them undoubtedly will be given new deferments, especially those in agriculture, where irreplaceable men are protected by law. But all will be considered anew when their present deferments expire.

NATIVE WOMAN J.P.

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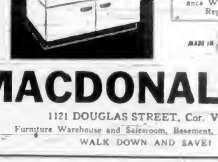

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The Fighting Forces

Soldier Buried Here

CPL. JAMES WILLIAM LAWRIE

Twenty-three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lawrie, 834 Monterey Avenue, who died on March 13 at Halifax and was buried on Tuesday at Royal Oak. Funeral services at Thomson Funeral Home were conducted by Rev. Hugh McLeod. Col. H. M. Urquhart, D.S.O., M.C., and Col. J. S. Kingham, former overseas commanding officer of the 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment, were present. Cpl. Lawrie went overseas three years ago with the 1st Battalion and was returned to Canada late in February aboard the hospital ship Lady Nelson.

Recent Graduate

W.O. HENRY DEACON

Recently graduated from a special officers' training course at H.M.C.S. Cornwallis. He is Mrs. C. A. Deacon, lives in Halifax. He was promoted from the lower deck.

Suffers Slight Wound

L/BDR. ROY GREEN

Son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Green, 982 Fleming Road Saanich, who suffered a slight spine injury in Italy according to word recently received. He has been with the R.C.A. since May, 1937, when he joined the 5th Coast Regiment, and went overseas in January, 1941. He has a wife in Brighton, England. An older brother, Sgt. Dwight Green, 1st Canadian Parachute Battalion, wrote from England in a letter received this week that Gen. Montgomery had spoken to him during the latter's tour. Dwight joined the Canadian Scottish in May, 1937.

On Newest Corvette

A.B. ALLEN D. HARDY

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hardy, 626 Britton Avenue, who is serving on H.M.C.S. Forrest Hill, a British-built corvette recently added to the R.C.N.'s convoy force. He enlisted in January, 1940, and has been on convoy duty for three and a half years. Before enlistment he was with Canadian National Telegraphs here. His father retired in December after 43 years' naval service.

Wounded Recently

GNR. E. F. JAGGERS

Island man who was recently wounded in Italy serving with a heavy artillery unit; according to word received by his mother, Mrs. H. Jaggers, 1275 Walnut Street. He enlisted from Duncan over three years ago, joining the 17th Searchlight Battery here and transferring to the artillery in England. He has a wife in London, England.

Barry Hall Overseas

P.O. Barry E. Hall, R.C.A.F., who graduated as a navigator at Portage la Prairie in November, has arrived overseas, according to word received yesterday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hall, Dominion Experimental Station, Saanich. P.O. Hall attended Victoria schools, Victoria College and Guelph Agricultural College.

Members Balk

WASHINGTON, March 25 (AP)—House members balked tonight at a Senate attempt to force senatorial confirmation for all Federal jobholders making $4,000 a year or more.

The provision was written into an independent offices appropriation bill by the Senate yesterday, along with an amendment which would force the Tennessee Valley Authority to go to Congress for its operating funds.

"The only reason for this (salary) amendment," said Rep. Woodrum (Dem., Va.) "would be to prevent the appointment of disloyal persons and other undesirables to the pay roll. However, the delay that might be encountered in obtaining Senate confirmation of all employees might seriously hamper many agencies."

There was general suspicion that the T.V.A. check-rein would win House approval, but not without a vigorous fight from supporters of the vast Southern power development.

The T.V.A. amendment would force its operations to turn into the Treasury the power and fertilizer receipts which have been used in past years to finance the agency and to justify for Congress, from year to year, requests for operating funds.

Final House action on the bill is not expected until after the Easter recess.

The War Today

By SIGRID L. ELMHORST
AP War Analyst

The mad month of March is fading amid a flurry of Axle-Allied preparatory activities which leave no doubt that the war in Europe is zooming to its crisis for Germany, or that the Pacific battle stage has been reset for new tests of Japanese-slaying power.

From all sides the foes of the besieged Axle nations are closing in despite all the distance odds against them. Pitched between the Russian offensive in the east that knows no seasonal lull now, the fury of Allied air attacks from the West, and the slow but unwavering Anglo-American diversion pressure in Italy, Hitler is obviously reading the inner walls of his shrivelling European fortress.

No surer sign of what Berlin knows to be impending in the west, and from the east-aplinst that inner defence ring still keeping the war out of Germany itself except by air, could be asked than Nazi occupation of Hungary.

The fusion of a Nazi-erected European new order hegemony founded on popular acceptance of Hitlerism in unwilling Balkan satellite states and expected even in Nazi conquered countries has been dropped by Berlin. It has no real place in Nazi war necessities and could not stand up under the necessities of military expediency.

Nohara's within fortress Europe, outside the Reich, except where it rests on German bayonets. Occupo espionage and strong-arm repression, is Saxism firmly planted, just how strong it still is in Germany itself comings events may soon disclose. A year and more of Russ defeats and retreats have deeply undermined German military prestige even at home, helped imponderably in softening up the European continent for Allied invasion.

Gardeners Meeting

The last of the special gardeners' meetings which the Victoria Horticultural Society is sponsoring will be held in the Oak Bay Municipal Hall at 8 p.m. tomorrow.

Three short addresses have been arranged. Speakers and subjects will be in the following order: W. H. Warren, shrubs; Harold Simpson, roses, and A. E. Powell, vegetables. Meetings were held at Esquimalt on Thursday and Lake Hill on Friday, which were well attended. Mr. Warren and Mr. Simpson both spoke and President E. M. Whyte was chairman.

At Esquimalt it was suggested that the Horticultural Society hold a quarterly meeting in the municipality for the benefit of those who are unable to attend the regular meetings of the society at the City Hall.

Psychological Warfare Grows

NEW YORK, March 26 (AP)—In a French printing plant in Algeria a group of workmen and Anglo-American supervisors went to work one morning and didn't go home for nine days.

Their job took only a short time but what they learned while doing it demanded that they remain within the same four walls, under heavy guard, until the ninth day ended.

Allied handgrenades in Italy planned an offensive. From the Army's psychological warfare branch, they ordered millions of pamphlets for simultaneous distribution with the attack. The men who printed the pamphlets had to stay in their shop until zero hour.

In a smaller sector, an American major attempting to get a certain hill sent a request back to headquarters. There, a mobile printing shop installed on an army truck, hastily turned out a bunch of "surrender tickets" with a personal message to the unit opposing the major's troops.

The pamphlets were packed into artillery shells and mortar fire showered them upon the hill's defenders. The major took his hill in half the time he had expected.

It is such requests from commanders of all ranks that impels Col. C. P. Hamilton, head of the psychological warfare branch of Allied force headquarters, to say "we have seen the beginning of a new combat weapon, just as revolutionary as the introduction of the air corps in the last war."

In the last ten days before Bizerte fell, "surrender tickets" were selling on the black market for 600 francs.

In one case, says Hamilton, two Italians walked in one day with leaflets and told us there were 60 more afraid to come in because they didn't have tickets. We sent out word to round them up."

Launch Salvage Boat

VANCOUVER, March 25 (CP)—The R.C.A.F. salvage boat Soughee was launched today from the ways of a New Westminster shipyard. Sister ship of the Soughee in the Fraida, both owned after early British Columbia Indian tribes.

The Soughee was launched by Mrs. W. E. Leningham, wife of Wing Commander W. E. Leningham, commanding officer of this aeronautical inspection district.

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ANNUAL INSPECTION

The annual inspection of the St. John Ambulance Brigade will be made by Commandery Commissioner Mr. W. J. Bennett at the Bay Street Armoury at 8 on Tuesday. There will be first-aid and home nursing demonstrations following the inspection. Those interested are cordially invited.

COCOA AS MEDICINE

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4 medium-sized potatoes
3 eggs (extra)
¼ cup hot milk
1 cup Crisco

Soak codfish. Drain and break into pieces. Add potatoes, cover with boiling water and simmer 20 minutes or until potatoes are tender. Drain and mash thoroughly. Add extra eggs, Crisco and milk. Transfer to hot skillet containing enough melted Crisco to cover bottom. Cover. Fry slowly until crisp and brown on bottom. Remember—foods fried crisp and light in Crisco are really digestible, for all the family! Turn upside down on plate. Serve plain or with creamed eggs. Makes 4 large cakes. Creamed Eggs: Melt 2 tbsps. Crisco (no need to use butter; Crisco makes delicious, smooth cream sauce). Stir in 2½ cups milk. Cook till the sauce thickens to taste. Add about 4 sliced hard-cooked eggs. All Measurements Level. Serves 4-6.

SOLE WITH SUNNY SAUCE

1 lb. fish fillets
2 tbsps. flour
2 tbsps. melted Crisco
1 cup milk
1 tbsp. vinegar
2 egg yolks, beaten
1 tsp. scraped onion
Salt—Pepper
¼ cup grated yellow cheese

Wipe fish and roll in seasoned flour. Dust carefully in 3 or 4 tbsps. hot Crisco till golden brown. Remove. Crisco is great for frying! Then—in every smoke or smell, no off taste. Add 2 tbsps. Crisco to drippings, stir in flour, milk, vinegar, egg yolks, onion and seasonings. Brigade with grated cheese till brown in moderate oven (350° F.) for about 10 min. All Measurements Level. Serves 4.

LENTEN SUPPER PIE

2 cups flaked, cooked vegetables (peas, celery, carrots)
2 cups medium white sauce
Mix fish, vegetables and white sauce. Season. Pour into casserole. Cover with pastry strips. Bake in hot oven (425° F.) 25 min. Crisco Pastry: Sift 1¼ cups flour and ½ tsp. salt into a bowl. Take out ¼ cup of this flour and mix it with 2 tbsps. water to make a paste. To remaining flour (1¼ cups) add ½ cup Crisco, cut in till pieces are size of small peas. Pour add flour paste to Crisco-flour mixture. Mix thoroughly till dough comes together and can be shaped into a ball. Roll out ¼ inch thick, cut in narrow strips. The easy Crisco Pastry Method is sure. See! You'll get flaky, tender, digestible pie crust every time! All Measurements Level. Serves 4-6.

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Men of Good Will

Very sorely needed in the world today is a vision of what man may become at his best, when he is inspired, not by forces from without but by that inner sight which alone has contact with all that is timeless and immortal. It was so that the Disciples learned long ago on the shores of the Sea of Galilee. They were told that dog would eat dog, but that man was made for better things. They knew that a society founded upon pure reason, even if it could be obtained, would still be sadly lacking. They were convinced that man's kinship with God lay in the spirit, and that that was all-powerful. It is precisely that vision which the world has mislaid, and must return to before man again will resume his interrupted march.

In their hearts all men know that. There is growing, even in the midst of holocaust and human terror, a conscience for the world. It is a vision, an ideal if one will. We have learned that when one man suffers all men suffer, where there is human want all are in need, that not by bread alone may anyone live or grow to be that which he could become. Two thousand years ago there was, and now and ever yet there will be, need of men of good will: those who will listen to an inner voice which none may stifle, treat it how he will. Something far greater than man, something stronger than the most self-willed, something old and changeless which has been since human time began, resides within him. It is the spirit, that which alone is like to God.

Men hold that vision once, however fitfully. They know that human lives were slay long journeys, midway between two vast horizons of vision. Some walked by light, and lived by grace. They will hold it yet again. Not often before, perhaps, has there been a world conscience so clear, so unmistakable. Man is his brother's keeper, dodge it how he will. So today, and for many a long tomorrow, there will be need of men of good will: those who will work together, think together, strive together, men who will not scorn to pray together, to build a better world than this one ever was, before it burned to ashes. They must build it to a master plan, akin to that which long ago the Disciples learned on that far shore where once there walked their living, deathless Master.

Right Welcome Guests

One again Greater Victoria has an opportunity of showing that warmth of heart which has ever been a true measure of its citizens. This time it is the Royal Navy, representatives of which are once more about and a very long way from their homes. Most of these young men have seen action in the war, and some in several theatres, from the commencement of hostilities. Their presence on city streets is right welcome, and a link with the oldest memories of Esquimalt, once a Royal Navy base. It will be their due obligation and the desire of this community to meet these men, and to give them a hearty welcome.

A sailor ashore is a happy and hearty fellow. He has a lot of forgetting to do, and not any too much time to do it in. In this case, as both officers and men are on leave of Royal Navy pay, they are under no little handicap in Canada, where the scale of living and entertainment costs are considerably higher than in Great Britain. For not a few this is their first visit to Canada, and they are delighted at the opportunity of getting shore leave in a new port.

This is where Victoria hospitality comes in. These young men have known long watches at sea, and they have had little home life of late. They would appreciate the invitation to some Victoria home for a meal, for a chat before the fire, for music, for a theatre party, or other relaxation apart from their normal tone of duties. They come from many parts of the United Kingdom, and have enjoyed what they have seen of Canada so far. Beginning now, invitations would be welcomed for these guests by the Citizens' War Services Hospitality Committee, at Garden 5425.

Campaign Medals

Even Solomon might have shrunk from deciding who should be awarded campaign medals in this war. Claims are so varied and conflicting as to give officials no matter how fair-minded, as many headaches as they bring heartaches to disappointed claimants. Answering a question in the House of Commons, Ralston, Minister of National Defence, said that changing nature of the war is considered, with its need for valuable passive as well as active service.

In so far as Canadians are concerned, their claims for participation in the award of the 1939-43 Star were recognized last week on the British Home of Commons when the Air Secretary disclosed that men from this country who served in France, Hongkong, Sicily and the Spitzbergen and Dieppe raids, would be eligible for that decoration. It was explained that one day's service in any of these campaigns would suffice for qualification, a generous gesture when compared to the yardstick used in previous wars.

Despite the difficulties inherent in distribution of the Star, it is strange to find the soldiers who went to Kuka left out of the selected list. No opposition took place there, but there was little at Spitzbergen either, and the Kuka expedition was a much more formidable affair, with full expectation of strong opposition and casualties. The Spitzbergen raid was over in a matter of hours, while our men were at Kuka for months.

It seems clear that no award were to Canadians for the Kuka occupation because of the ruling by the Dominion Government that service by the Canadian army in the Aleutians will not considered overseas service, a ruling imposed seemingly to safeguard the Prime Minister's political position as to the areas of action for home defence troops. The result of that ruling now shows up and discriminates directly against men who suffered cold and hardship in what was a comparable front-line area of service. An adjustment of this situation should be made without delay.

It is also difficult to understand why service of Canadians in Italy was not included among the qualifications for the 1939-43 Star. If one day's in the cesspool there must be many Canadians who were not in Sicily but who served for weeks in Italy before the year 1943 ended. This can scarcely be the last word on this point.

March, the Blusterer

It is a four-winded month, March. It will tilt at you, with a whoop and a roar, from any quarter. It will mix the north, south, east and west winds in an ice cold bag, and spill them by turns in gusts that take the breath away. A roistering month is March; a nasty and crazy month, a blustering month as changeful a handful of days as any that a year could show, always poking itself into others' business, determined never to leave well enough alone. Open any window in the house and March is there, waiting to let itself in. Fix the furnace drafts how you will, March will countermand you instantly. Lay as much as a newspaper down outdoors and it will whisk it away, minsterial proclamation and all.

Behold last-year's leaves at the corner of a city building, from where there isn't a tree in sight. They have been collected somewhere-ness knows where, an oak a poplar and some hawthorn leaves. They are treading March's measure still more out of time and in a exhausting rhythmless dance. Prisoners all. Tomorrow March may move them to the next corner, or blow them on to the top of a factory roof, or drop them half a mile at sea to be swamped by driven spume.

A mad month, surely. Hot thus hour and cold the next, wet now and calm in two minutes' time rain, hail and sleet by turns, with patches of clear, blue sky sun in the sky with position but not activity heat. The letter carrier walks with his back to the wind, because it has filled his eyes with dust from the street. The little dog treats with six ears blown back, all his attention by the wind. The meadow lark pipes half a tune until a squall fills its throat and chokes back the song. Ladies on the streets are in their wildest distress. Robins are blown a mile off their course. Perhaps there is a reason. The debris of Winter is coming down

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Great Britain has authorized a miniature form of the red chevron as an annual service stripe to be worn by all British forces in this war. Canada has retained the silver chevron as the first-year stripe, and authorized the red chevron as the second, and later, stripes in this war. That preserves the distinction earned by the veterans of this war, but obliterates that of the original veteran of the 1-read of all Empire Battle, the great King George Jubilee Coronation Version, which most of us have in our homes. Like many great events, the printing of this Coronation Medal was the outcome of something else. When King George VI. succeeded his father and took over the combined title of Great Britain he was insisted on by the Parliament, who saw in this monarch from a Presidential country a weapon to wring from the Dominions of England pertinent changes in the Succession Treaty. Canada rallied at once to discuss the matter and surprised the Parliament of England them not consented to patronize a new version of the Bible translated directly out of the original Hebrew and Greek

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The Third Column

By TOM TAYLOR

THE BIBLE

The war, while restricting the mechanics of publishing has at the same time given fresh impetus to the sale of the Bible. It may be that the conflict that rages all over the world, in sharp contradiction to the peaceful enunciated tenets, has caused people to turn to their neglected copies or to seek new ones in order to draw sustenance and hope from the one book that has never failed humanity. It is a fact anyway that demands for copies of the Holy Scriptures were greater in modern times. The British and Foreign Bible Society reports that calls on its services are almost beyond its resources, while at the best of times are strained to capacity.

The British and Foreign Bible Society, incidentally, is a unique organization. Created in 1804, it exists for one purpose and one only, to circulate the Bible. It propagates no doctrine or interpretation, adds nothing nor takes away from the accepted contents of the Bible it sends around the world. In every corner of the globe its corporeurs are to be found at their chosen task of distributing Bibles!

BEST OF ALL SELLERS

The Bible, of course, ever since the art of printing put the common man on a footing with privileged scholars and wealthy nobles, has been the best of all sellers. As a matter of fact, it is the only book that has ever been printed in such numbers as to be considered a mass production. Yet, living neglected though it may be, that familiar black-bound book is the greatest of all the world's treasures. There is no one who cannot find solace in it. Even those who are not religious know where, on oak a poplar and some hawthorn leaves. They are treading March's measure still more out of time and in a exhausting rhythmless dance. Prisoners all. Tomorrow March may move them to the next corner, or blow them on to the top of a factory roof, or drop them half a mile at sea to be swamped by driven spume.

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$15,000 Radium Capsule Missing

BUFFALO, N.Y., March 25 (AP)—An inch-long capsule of radium chloride, valued at $15,000 and capable of exacting fatal burns to a person carrying it, is missing from the Bison Casting Company vault, Police Lieutenant Paul O. Marohn announced tonight.

The gear-shaped capsule is used to detect flaws in metal, Marohn said, and within 25 minutes could cause flesh burns which, though they might not become evident for three or four days, would be fatal

Observation Car

By G.B.

Walking to the cheapest, safest and best place to buy exercise

Advertising regulations in Australia prohibit the announcement of bargain sales, reduced prices and statements concerning limited supplies. From The Woodstock dentinet-Review: "Some New York publishing wits are said seriously that They gave all the dirt" . . . "That's right," said a Hollywood producer to his chief script writer. "The Optimist might have been O.K. for the book title but we can't use it for this super-colossal, epic, stupendous production." The script writer inquired, "Why not, chief?" The producer replied: "Because not everybody knows that an optimist is a sex pervert."

A pair of bonds that he wore on and off for 60 years. Good existence of a certain hour every evening

Yo' puppy play anything?" a mountain lad asked a friend. "Sho, he plays the catarrh," the other replied. "But, Jim, I thought there was somethin' ensarmin' yo' nose," the first boy commented. "Yo' wrong, puppy plays by ear," Jim explained.

maintaining First effort at fire prevention was made by William the Conqueror when he landed in England. He ordered a curfew which made it compulsory for all fires to be extinguished or covered at a certain hour every evening until the following dawn. The curfew bell was rung at an established measure throughout Europe in the Middle Ages. The word curfew is derived from the Arabic qubas, Egyptians called it qotan. In Germany it is known as Sauin-Glocke. Nankin was originally made at Nanking, China. Calico came from Calicut, and muslin from Mosul, Persia. Jodhpurs are named after the Hindustani chint, meaning a spotted cotton cloth. Lisle came from Lisle, France, now known as Lille, and serge was first made at Pontal, near Calais. In England a non-resident who runs over a dog is compelled by law to report to the nearest police station, but if he runs over a cat it is not necessary to report, because a cat is not an animal within the meaning of the Road Traffic Act. Any person who cares for a horse, cow, ass or sheep in the absence of the owner is required to apply for a second license for the same animal.

Sunrise and Sunset

MARCH

Times of Sunrise and Sunset at Pacific Standard time at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1944.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	6:58	17:58	17	6:27	18:23
2	6:56	17:59	18	6:25	18:24
3	6:55	18:00	19	6:24	18:25
4	6:53	18:01	20	6:22	18:26
5	6:52	18:02	21	6:21	18:27
6	6:50	18:03	22	6:19	18:28
7	6:49	18:04	23	6:18	18:29
8	6:47	18:05	24	6:16	18:30
9	6:46	18:06	25	6:15	18:31
10	6:44	18:07	26	6:13	18:32
11	6:43	18:08	27	6:12	18:33
12	6:41	18:09	28	6:10	18:34
13	6:40	18:10	29	6:09	18:35
14	6:38	18:11	30	6:07	18:36
15	6:37	18:12	31	6:06	18:37
16	6:35	18:13			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Tides at Victoria

MARCH

Time of High and Low Tides (Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1944.

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
1	0:54	7.7	7:06	10.2	13:06	4.2	19:27	8.2
2	1:36	7.7	7:48	10.2	13:48	4.2	20:09	8.2
3	2:18	7.7	8:30	10.2	14:30	4.2	20:51	8.2
4	3:00	7.7	9:12	10.2	15:12	4.2	21:33	8.2
5	3:42	7.7	9:54	10.2	15:54	4.2	22:15	8.2
6	4:24	7.7	10:36	10.2	16:36	4.2	22:57	8.2
7	5:06	7.7	11:18	10.2	17:18	4.2	23:39	8.2
8	5:48	7.7	12:00	10.2	18:00	4.2		
9	6:30	7.7	12:42	10.2	18:42	4.2		
10	7:12	7.7	13:24	10.2	19:24	4.2		
11	7:54	7.7	14:06	10.2	20:06	4.2		
12	8:36	7.7	14:48	10.2	20:48	4.2		
13	9:18	7.7	15:30	10.2	21:30	4.2		
14	10:00	7.7	16:12	10.2	22:12	4.2		
15	10:42	7.7	16:54	10.2	22:54	4.2		
16	11:24	7.7	17:36	10.2	23:36	4.2		
17	12:06	7.7	18:18	10.2	19:00	4.2		
18	12:48	7.7	19:00	10.2	19:42	4.2		
19	13:30	7.7	19:42	10.2	20:24	4.2		
20	14:12	7.7	20:24	10.2	21:06	4.2		
21	14:54	7.7	21:06	10.2	21:48	4.2		
22	15:36	7.7	21:48	10.2	22:30	4.2		
23	16:18	7.7	22:30	10.2	23:12	4.2		
24	17:00	7.7	23:12	10.2	23:54	4.2		
25	17:42	7.7	23:54	10.2	24:36	4.2		
26	18:24	7.7	24:36	10.2	25:18	4.2		
27	19:06	7.7	25:18	10.2	26:00	4.2		
28	19:48	7.7	26:00	10.2	26:42	4.2		
29	20:30	7.7	26:42	10.2	27:24	4.2		
30	21:12	7.7	27:24	10.2	28:06	4.2		
31	21:54	7.7	28:06	10.2	28:48	4.2		

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Night Thoughts

I rest on the bosom of God tonight
Secure in his tender care.
While His hand in tenderness shades the light
For rest and peace and prayer.

I touch in the darkness a gentle hand
I the balm on a fevered brow
I hear the sweet music of angel voices
That Heaven is here and now.

I see in the darkness a greater light
Than shines in the brightest day.
As it spills its gold through the halls of night
That lead to the heavenly way.

I hear in the darkness a song more sweet
Than the choirs of Earth can sing.
As angel-harps in the golden street
Acclaim the Eternal King.

—JAMES MORTON.

Victoria, B.C.

Kindness, nobler ever than revenge
—SHAKESPEARE.

SPRING OF 1944

Civil Defence

District 1, Victoria—A meeting of the wardens will be held on Monday, March 27, 8 p.m., in the control room of Victoria West School. Arrangements will be made for social activities and the course of training to be followed during the next three months. Members of the auxiliary fire department, nursing division and Parent-Teacher Association are cordially invited to attend. District Warden A. W. Goodwin will preside

District 2, Victoria—All wardens are requested to attend a meeting in the auditorium of Burnside School on Tuesday, March 28, 8 p.m. Further information of new wardens, Capt. D. J. Proudfoot will explain the workings of the district control system and programme of the district activities for the next three months will be held out. District Warden T. E. Ribby will preside.

District 3, Victoria—Ernest Maynard recently returned from London, where he took a civil defence warden for three years will lecture in the auditorium of South Park School Tuesday, March 28, 8 p.m. on his experiences during the aerial bombardments of that city. A full attendance of wardens is requested and other residents of the district are cordially invited. This lecture will be followed by a lecture on Blitz first aid by T. Moore, St. John Ambulance Brigade. District Warden C. L. Rumble.

District 6, Victoria—R. T. Kipling, St. John Ambulance Brigade, will lecture in the District Fire Hall to the wardens and all others interested in blitz first aid at 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 29. District Warden M. B. Wellburn will preside.

Victoria—W. C. Mainwaring, chairman, advisory council, provincial civilian protection committee, and Ernest Maynard, of London, will address a meeting in the auditorium of the Victoria High School, 8 p.m. Thursday, March 30. All D Dee wardens, principal of Victoria High School and the members of war films. All wardens and their friends invited to attend should make application for tickets. District warden Inspector Alderman J. A. Worthington at 7.36 p.m.

Oak Bay Unit—Wardens from south of Oak Bay Avenue will meet in the Municipal Hall at 8 p.m. Tuesday for first aid instruction. Those answering questionnaire will meet at 7.30 p.m.

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2—VIVISECTION "To this relation there affirm a cruelty to animals. In transcribing in my refinement and in its barter anything that has been known in the history of Nature. There will come a time when the world will look back to modern vivisection as the name of science, as they do now to burning of the witch in the name of Religion"—Dr. H. Bigelow, Harvard Professor of Surgery!

3—ETHICS We ought not to do evil in the hope that good may come to ourselves. No good has been derived from vivisection that could not equally well have been derived without it. "There are the high priests of science who fondly hope to benefit humanity by doing violence to the virtue that it has taken centuries of Christianity to create. With them the end justifies the means, and everything is permissible. While you have men who will debate their lives to torture in laboratories, you will have men who will debate their lives to the hatred and destruction of their fellow men"—From the Father Matthew Record, S.C. magazine.

4—VIEWS. "Every day we read of crimes for which vivisection is responsible."—Medical Member, M.D.

"I had a absolutely unconscionable that he should have so arranged the economy of knowledge that we can attain to truths which it is the will that we should master, only through the unutterable agonies of beings which trust in us."—Late Dr. Westcott, Bishop of Durham!

5—BIRTHDAY TEA AND SALE Saturday, April 1, Y.W.C.A., 2 to 5:30 — Admission Free. Buffet Tea 75c Jacket, 25c VOCALIST, Miss Eugene Murray. ACCOMPANIST, Madeleine Easy. Hand proceeds given to animals in war areas.

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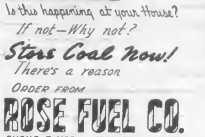

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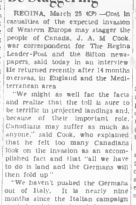
FIVE Victorians were among the list of graduates at King's College, the officers' training centre at Halifax. They are all probationary sub-Lieutenants in the R.C.N.V.R. Sub-Lieut. Blandy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Blandy, 2600 Sinclair Drive. Sub-Lieut. Whitehouse is married and his wife lives in Montreal; Mrs. W. M. Scott, mother of Sub-Lieut. Scott, lives at 77 Linden Avenue. Sub-Lieut. Brown has an M.A. and B.A. from the University of British Columbia, and is the son of Mrs. G. J. Brown, 1028 Princess Avenue. Sub-Lieut. Melville is an accountant in private life and his wife lives at 2651 Douglas Street.



D. W. BROWN

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Three Charged in Seiner Fatality

NANAIMO, March 25 — Robert and George Bob, Nanoose Indians and crew members of the seine boat on which Mrs. Reginald Paul was found dead by her husband, Reginald Paul, another Indian, Friday morning at the Farmers Landing here, were charged in police court this morning with being intoxicated. They were arrested Thursday evening fighting near the moored seiner. They were remanded until Wednesday morning, March 29. Police found two nearly empty jars of wine on the boat and charged Paul who, with his wife, lived aboard the seiner, with being in possession of liquor. He, too, was remanded until Wednesday. Coroner W. H. Jones has stated that an inquest will be held on Tuesday.

Wounded Man Dies

TORONTO, March 25 (CP) — James Kelly, 26, said by police to have been wounded yesterday in an attempted bank holdup, died at 3 a.m. today in hospital. Two other men are under arrest in connection with the attempted robbery.

Kelly, shot in the groin by Douglas B. King, 36-year-old ex-marine, at the Bank of Toronto Branch at Dundas Street and Ossington Avenue, in Western Toronto, was picked up by police shortly after the robbery attempt when he collapsed in a backyard near the bank.

Elroy Flick, 25, and Fred Carter, 19, are under arrest on charges of attempted bank robbery. Admitting to only a bank theft of the automobile used in the attempt and theft of a shotgun.

The holdup was averted as K.ng, who owned the bank revolver and opened fire on the armed men.

King was wounded shortly in the head by a shotgun pellet in the exchange of fire.

Casualties May Be Staggering

REGINA, March 25 (CP) — Dead in casualties of the expected invasion of Western Europe may stagger the people of Canada, J. A. M. Cook, war correspondent for The Regina Leader-Post and the Hilton newspapers, said today in an interview he returned recently after 14 months in overseas, in England and the Mediterranean area.

"We might as well fac the facts and realize that the toll is sure to be terrific in projected months and, because of their important role, Canadians may suffer as much as anyone," said Cook, who explained that he felt too many Canadians took on the invasion as an accomplished fact and that "all we have to do is land and the Germans will then fold up."

"We haven't pushed the Germans out of Italy. It is nearly nine months since the Italian campaign started and in that period our casualties have been at least half the strength of the original First Division. You don't notice the ones when casualties are spaced out day by day, a few at a time.

"Sicily and Southern Italy were not too severe on Canadians. Seldom did the Germans make a determined stand in Southern Italy. They kept up a stubborn rearguard action until the Hangrs was reached, then made a stand with strong, prepared defences.

"After that our Canadians went in and during the course of a month there were more casualties than in all the preceding months in Italy."

Cook also said "the fighting Canadians are as good as any soldiers in the world," asserted that the Germans have a fatalistic attitude about the war and will fight to the end.

In a discussion of Allied tactics in the Mediterranean theatre, he said commanders had made every effort to conserve manpower.

Need Greater Sacrifice Yet

OTTAWA, March 25 (CP)—George S. Demetis, Greek Minister to Canada, said today in a Greek Independence Day address that the day of liberation of Greece and of Europe is "drawing near" but "still greater efforts and sacrifices" must be made before it is achieved.

Delivering a prepared address over a CBC network, Mr. Demetis said the Greeks, although under enemy occupation, still are carrying on the struggle by molesting the enemy everywhere in their homeland, by sabotage and by guerrilla warfare.

Thousands of Greeks are under arms in Greece, ready to attack when the signal is given. An army of liberation stands ready in Egypt to lead the invasion of Greece when that time comes. The reorganized Greek fleet is serving the Allied cause on all seas and a highly-trained Greek air force is fighting in the Mediterranean. The Greek merchant marine carries war supplies to fronts throughout the world.

Mr. Demetis thanked the Canadian people, the Canadian Government and the Canadian Red Cross Society for their assistance to starving Greeks in their homeland.

Vancouver Manpower Shortage Persists

VANCOUVER, March 25 (CP) — A manpower shortage persists in the Vancouver area, a month-end employment report issued by Horace Kerich, manager of the local employment office, disclosed today.

More than 4,500 unfilled jobs are on file, most of them constituting heavy types of labor.

Only 1,842 persons are registered as being without jobs at the end of the first quarter of 1944 approaches, said Mr. Kerich.

Twelve years' training at the Dominion Experimental Farm, Brandon, Manitoba, have shown that over-Wintered colonies of bees return a profit of $1.73 per colony greater than unprotected package bees.

Little Change in Beer Quotas Despite Lifting of Restrictions

(By The Canadian Press)

Reginald Pedley, provincial liquor sales of beer to the government, furnished with Deputies, today announced a fortnight ago that required so far in increased quotas for customers in only two provinces—Manitoba and Saskatchewan, a countrywide survey by The Canadian Press showed today.

There has been no sign that the action will be taken in other areas, except in Alberta.

Only in Manitoba is beer available in quantity to cover the full increased reports from major cities indicated.

The improved beer supply was

Thousands have been waiting for the return of their favorite beer. Now, Pilsener from Pilsen, Czechoslovakia, is being served again in many cities and towns where it was formerly available. Due to supply and demand, this is expected to be a temporary measure with Dr. Williams Pink Pills then very far. At your druggist.

The Canadian Provinces in the west of the Provinces by brewing industry operations immediately after Mr. King announced that the Government had decided to abolish the order under which it was available to the provinces for sale within their boundaries was limited to 90 per cent of the amount for the year ended October 31, 1942.

Here is a summary of reports on the situation in each Western province gathered by The Canadian Press:

British Columbia: No change in the 24-pints-a-month ration and liquor board officials decline to say if any increase will be possible. W. F. Kennedy chairman of the Liquor Control Board, said however, that the demand is being met without the long queues which were commonplace in front of beer stores two months ago.

Alberta—The quota will be 12 pints a month and beer parlors limit each customer to about two glasses an hour, but the ration quota may be increased next month if breweries can increase production.

Saskatchewan — The British Columbia has been boosted from two to three bottles a day and this is scheduled to go up to six bottles daily April 1. There are still queues at Regina liquor stores where beer is sold and "no beer" signs sometimes have been hung out 15 minutes after sales begin. Beer parlors have been supplied with more draft beer, but 75 per cent of their bottled beer must be consumed off the premises. Most Saskatchewan beer drinkers have been able to get their daily bottle.

Manitoba — Beer is easy to get in Manitoba" was the unofficial report from Winnipeg. The Provincial Liquor Commission virtually took the lid off rationing when the Federal action was announced. From 24 pints a month the ration jumped to a case of beer a day. Queues disappeared from beer stores and areas were no longer at a premium in beer parlors because beer was available there in seemingly unlimited quantity any time to the event hours the parlors are open from 2 until 10 p.m.

There has been no change in the Ontario individual ration of 12 quarts a month.

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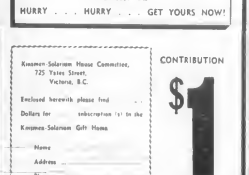

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LEFT NO WILL

CHICAGO, March 25 — William Hale "Big Bill" Thompson, reputed millionaire during his three terms as mayor of Chicago, left an estate estimated at $145,000, but no will has been found James W. Brown, the Thompson family lawyer, informed the probate court. Thompson died last Sunday, aged 74.

Social and Personal

The Social Department
Telephone G 8211

Mrs. Charles De Macedo is a guest at Sylvia Court, Vancouver.

Mrs. Cornelius Burke will return from Vancouver on Monday.

Capt. Ldr and Mrs. Howard Cotterell are guests at the Ritz, Vancouver.

Mrs. John Harvey has removed from 60 Linden Avenue and is now living at the Mount Baker Apartments, Newport Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark, Quesnel Cove, Ont., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lott, Blenkinsop Road.

Major and Mrs. W. H. Langley are expected home today from Vancouver, where they spent a few days at the Hotel Vancouver.

After a few days' visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Guy Barclay, 7050 Bay Road, Mrs. Henry Barclay will return to her home in North Vancouver today.

Mr. G. Gilbart has returned to the Mainland after spending leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gilbart, Wilkinson Road.

Mrs. Christian E. Myren and her daughter, Brenda, will leave next week for Richmond, Washington, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Flora E. Ariand. Later they will join Mrs. Myren's brother-in-law in Los Angeles and also visit in Orlando, Florida.

Mr. Ambrose P. Matthews, 2643 Quadra Street, celebrated his 90th birthday recently when many friends and relatives called during the day. The rooms were decorated with Spring flowers and a luncheon was served buffet style.

Guests at the Bell-Ray wedding last evening included Mr and Mrs. Fred Bell and Mrs. C. Claxton, Mrs. A. Mackenzie, Mrs. A. Howell, Mrs. H. Kerr, Mrs. J. McNeil and Miss Ada Green, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith, Nanaimo; Mrs. C. Burnett, Port Townsend, Wash.

Mrs. W. C. Woodward is returning today to Courtenay, Hornby, after spending the past few days in Vancouver with her daughter, Mrs. Clive McDonald and her baby daughter. Mrs. C. A. McDonald, paternal grandmother of the baby, has gone to Vancouver to visit the infant daughter of her son, Lieut. Clive McDonald, R.C.N.V.R.

Eighteen members of the Soroptimist Club assembled at a luncheon on Saturday held at David Spencer's private dining-room, when Mrs. Enid Murray spoke to the club concerning the Prisoners of War Parcel Members donated a cheque for $50 to this fund. Mrs. Murray showed letters and cards of thanks from prisoners of war.

Mr Charles Richards was the recipient of birthday greetings and good wishes on Saturday when he celebrated his seventy-seventh birthday at his home, 850 Linden Avenue. For sixty years Mr Richards has been interested in the grocery business throughout Canada, and for the past thirty-seven years has been a resident of Victoria.

Red Cross superfluities Store 1220 Government Street, through F. E. Cawley, manager sends the following message: We extend to residents and visitors a cordial invitation to come in and browse around —lovely gifts are on display. We are in need of male long sets, chesterfields, glass boats and jugs, bedplate, purses, tea strainers, fire screen, silver-top glass jars for dressing table, and cookbook, 'Cooking for Two.'

An after-theatre party was given on Friday evening by Mr and Mrs. Walter Hayfield at Beaufort Apartments, for Mr. Bob Morrison, Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morrison, Winnipeg. Mr. Morrison is assistant stage manager of the show "Meet the Navy." Guests were Mrs. Andrew Stuart Robertson and Mrs. G. Kennedy-Smith, who assisted the hostess, together with Misses Betty Bailey and Hilda Smith; Mrs. Steve Carverhill, Miss Sheila Bailey, Wrens Barbara Davis, Janet de Hueck, Brand; also members of the cast, Lieut. Hugh Palmer and Pilot Officer Vic Embleton, Bennett Bill Stevens and Joe Austin, also of the cast.

The supper dance held at the Empress Hotel last night was well attended, and many guests enjoyed the attractive dance programme by Jack Ellis and his Empress Hotel Orchestra. Among those present were Mrs. R. W. Hanna and party of 12, Lieut. Barclay and 12 guests, L. G. Eastman and Fred Power with eight guests each, Dr. E. Fowles and Mr. J. C. Pratt with eight guests each, P.O. G. Latham, Mrs. J. Lewis and Lieut. A. H. Gledhill with eight guests each; J. McGuire with 10 guests, Lieut. T. R. McNutt with eight guests, R. B. Owen with 22 guests, T.S. Blake Sgt. Bond, P. Campbell, Sgt. L. Fraser, J. E. Kerr, O. Vantreight, R. W. Reynolds, 6/2 with six guests each; Capt. and McCallum, W. O. Mayle, Lieut. C. C. McGibbon, Capt. M. McKie, Col. Paulin, Mrs. H. W. Williams, Lieut. J. H. Turner, Lieut. R. Carle, W. B. Sylvester, D. Kinsinger, T. A. Wright, J. Gregory, Lieut.-Col. A. Guimaud, M. Hampton, Lieut. H. Kavanagh, P.O. D. Lawson, T. S. Black, Mrs. E. A. Beardmore, Capt. R. Chapman, Flt. Lieut. Hamilton, Mrs. C. Burnett, Port Townsend, Wash.

Versatiles Entertain

The Versatiles entertained the men's auxiliary at Gordon Head on Friday night.

Miss Dace Rokeby proved very popular, and her recitation and dancing were greatly applauded.

Other members of the party were Doug Park, leader; Grace Adams, soprano; Mary Armitage, soprano; Dorothy Finn, juvenile soubrette; Alf Adams, comedian; Jim Matthews, comedian; Ronald Stuart Wright, violinist; Bert Lashmar, cornetist, and George Todd, accompanist and musical director.

Ralph Crichanska and W. Murray-Leonard acted as stage manager and Les Dash as technician.

After the show refreshments were served in the officers' mess.

According to results of experiments carried out by the Chemical Research Division, Ministry of Agriculture of Northern Ireland, it is considered that pigs can be fattened successfully under commercial farming conditions on rations containing between 40 to 50 per cent of dehydrated potatoes, Mr. Hamilton, director, being paid to balancing the ration as regards protein and minerals.

Eighty Families Must Vacate

National Housing-Registry reports 80 families listed as having to vacate their home because they have been sold, according to Mrs. W. Rayfuse, manager. Sixteen families are in accordance being, the end of the month, while 30 families must vacate by April 30, and the balance before Sept. nber.

Mrs. Rayfuse said "in addition to this, 191 other families are also under notice to move, either because the owner wishes to reoccupy the home, or because it is shared accommodation, with monthly notice can be given."

Families with children are still the chief concern of the registry, reported Mrs. Rayfuse, who told of a recent visit to a house, where the small children live. The walls of one bedroom are covered with cardboard boxes, tacked up, many of them rotten, and torn from exposure to dampness, and the bedroom window was covered with a sheet of cardboard. All these children, said Mrs. Rayfuse, are suffering from colds and it is imperative some other accommodation be found for this family without delay.

The situation so far as tenancies is concerned has eased somewhat, but the problem of finding shelter for local families has definitely increased.

Asked about the Government control plan, Mrs. Rayfuse replied that while these converted apartments provide a place for families to live, apartments are not the solution for families consisting of ten or 12 members. Mrs. Rayfuse admitted that while 10,785 persons have been housed since commencing by the registries on Vancouver Island during the past year, many of these homes proved were quite inadequate. She added that another 187 applications are on hand from families who find their present quarters too small, especially when, in many cases, another baby is expected.

We also have applications from 110 families who are arriving in Victoria shortly," Mrs. Rayfuse concluded. "We have had requests from people who wish to occupy empty houses on an Indian reservation."

Piano Pupils Offer Recital of Merit

The piano pupils of Miss Florence Phillimore, A.T.C.M., gave a recital Friday evening in the clubrooms of the Y.W.C.A., which were decorated with daffodils and flowering currant. A collection was taken in aid of the Queen's Canadian Fund for air raid victims.

Guest artist Mrs. R. MacIntosh Gaya two charming vocal solos, accompanied on the piano by Miss Dorothy Gaya, A.T.C.M., the composer of the songs. Miss Helen Rose, L.R.S.M., contributed two violin solos, accompanied by Miss Phillimore. Gwendyth Phillips gave two enjoyable recitations.

The following pupils took part: Maurine Squires, Marilyn Briers, Mark Frampton, Derinda Floyd, John and Robert Ellis, Ronald and Donald Mooney, Sally Howe, Teddy Bass and Joyce Richards. Anne Armstrong, Phyllis Frampton, Barbara Winter, Doreen Eaton, Virginia Dash, Gwendyth Jourdain, Jeanne Henderson, Maria and Freda Nattrass, Robert and Donald MacFarlane.

Where "Love From Canada" Parcels Are Packed

NEW premises for the Victoria right: Mrs. R. J. C. Weir, Mrs. H. branch of the British Columbia Children's Rescue War Relief Committee, necessitated through enlargement and expansion of work, are located at 1113 Government Street, where, on Friday afternoon, open house was held. Above are shown some of the workers, while the background displays quilts and afghans. Reading from left to

— By Staff Photographer.

W. Smith, convener of toys; Mrs. Y. Myles, and Miss Alice Mc Anderson, in charge of sewing groups; Mrs. H. Thirlwall, general convener; Mrs. Sedell Mrs. J. Mead and Miss Isabel Shillibeer, Miss Peggy Bishop and Mrs. M Smith.

Parent-Teacher Associations

VICTORIA AND DISTRICT

Forty boys and girls of Willows and Monterey Schools will sing favorite songs during the Parent-Teacher radio broadcast on Monday over CJVI at 7.30. The show will be directed by Mr Ernest Willoughby, newly appointed music supervisor of the Oak Bay schools, assisted by Miss Carol Menzies and Miss Ina Tolmie.

TOLMIE

Delegates to attend the P.-T.A convention, to be held in Vancouver, will be appointed at a meeting of the Tolmie P.-T.A. to be held Monday at 3 p.m.

MCKENZIE AVENUE

A fine hundred card game will be held at Marigold Hall on Monday at 8 p.m. Prizes will be given.

CEDAR HILL

Delegates were chosen for the annual P.-T.A. convention at Vancouver at a recent meeting of Cedar Hill P.-T.A Inspector J. Gough gave an outline of the prospective building by-law. He pointed out the need for more accommodation due to overcrowding in schools at the present time L. Mathews spoke on technical needs and urged the people to support the by-law. Dr H Anderson gave an address on "Basic English" and illustrated with examples to show its possibilities.

Honors for Brides-Elect

Miss Mary Thomson, who is being married at the end of the month, was the guest of honor at a delightful party given by Mrs. W. F. Harvey, 2022 Quadra Street, on Saturday evening. A buffet supper was served. Mrs. H. McKenzie and Miss E. Summers presided. The guests were Mrs. J. Thomson, Mrs. Pringle Mrs. H. McKenzie, Mrs. W. Young, Mrs. W. Gemmell, Mrs. W. Simms, Mrs. W. Turner, Miss L. Gooding, Mrs. A. Hogg, Mrs. J. Fraser, Mrs. J. Stewart, Miss. C. Reynolds, Miss M. Roberts, B. Aitken, A. Woodward, I. Chisholm, E. Simmers, K. Morris, C. Fraser, M. Thomson, J. Wellwood, D. Jealouse, K. Fowler, A. Parsons, N. Hunt, J. Watson, O. Priley and A. McMuldroch.

Red Cross Notes

PROSPECT LAKE UNIT

Prospect Lake Red Cross met recently at the home of Mrs. Thomson. Four dollars from the comfort fund will be forwarded to Headquarters. An enjoyable card party was held at the home of Mrs. Reid, net proceeds of which will be sent to the Red Cross. The next meeting will be April 12.

C.C.F. WOMEN

Victoria C.C.F. Women's Council will meet on Tuesday, March 28, at 2.30 p.m. at 837 Pandora Avenue.

Engagements

Announcements in street under this heading are inserted at the rate of $1 per insertion. Engagement announcements, Marriage notices $2 for first 50 words, 5c for each additional word.

Mr and Mrs. A. T. Turner, of Port Alberni, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest son, P/O J. A. Turner, R.C.A.F., to S/O Zena T. Breed, A.T.S., of London, Eng. The wedding will take place at St. Mary's Church, Hendon, London on April 1.

Commissioned Shipwright, R.C.N., and Mrs. B. F. Day, 1461 Cook Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Jacqueline Emily, to Sgt. Samuel George Humphreys, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Humphreys, of Winnipeg, Man. The wedding will take place April 17 at 6 o'clock at St. John's Church.

Mr and Mrs. E. A. Turley wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Thorsbjorg Elizabeth Betty, to Frederick A. Smith. The wedding will take place early in April.

Weddings

BRADLEY—ROGERS

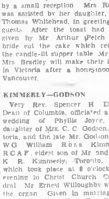
The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Rogers, 1250 Vista Heights, was bright with Spring flowers for the wedding of their second daughter, Miss Ethel Rosamond, to Pte. R.M. Pte George G. O. Bradley, R.C.D.C., son of Mr. C. O. Bradley, Pickering, Ont., which took place last evening. Major G. H. Hamilton, army chaplain, officiating. Given in marriage by her father, the bride was charming in a pale blue afternoon frock with a tiny matching hat and veil and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations and freesias. Miss Ruth Rogers, was her sister's bridesmaid. She was also ensemble with a corsage bouquet of daffodils and Cpl. George Wolfe, C.P.C. was groomsman. Miss Flora Hartshorne played the music at the ceremony which was followed by a small reception. Mrs Rogers was assisted in the receiving by Mrs. Thomas Whitehead, in greeting the guests. After the toast had been given by Mr Arthur Smith the couple left by motor for Duncan for the candle-lit supper table Mr. and Mrs. Bradley will make their home in Victoria after a honeymoon in Vancouver.

KIMMERLY—GODSON

Very Rev. Spencer H. Elliott, Dean of Columbia, officiated at the wedding of Phyllis Joyce, only daughter of Mrs. C. C. Godson, Victoria, and the late Mr. Godson, and W/O William Ross Kimmerly, R.C.A.F., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Kimmerly, Toronto, Ont., which took place at 6 o'clock last evening in Christ Church Cathedral. Sir Percy Woodward played the organ. Given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Alfred Dowell, the bride wore an afternoon frock of powder blue silk crepe with dark brown accessories and carried a bouquet of white carnations and stephanotis. Miss Doris Watson, the bride's maid was clothed in gold with brown accessories and a bouquet of yellow and white carnations and freesias. W/O Peter Martin, R.C.A.F., was groomsman and W/O D. B. Hodgins, R.C.A.F. acted as usher. Mr. Alley officiated at the Y.W.C.A. Warrant Officer and Mrs. Kimmerly left for Vancouver, where they will reside. The bride's travelling a light coat over her wedding ensemble.

BELL—RAY

Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., who had been the officiating minister at the wedding of the bride's parents, last night united in marriage Marjorie Rae, elder daughter of Mr. Percival Ray, 1611 Belmont Avenue, and the late Mrs. Ray, and L.A.C. Andrew Miller Bell, jr. R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bell, Winnipeg, Man. The ceremony took place in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church against a background of mixed candles and baskets of Spring flowers, and the bride was married with her mother's wedding ring, and given away in her father. Mr. C. C. Warren was at the organ, and Mrs. P. Silvernail sang "O Perfect Love." A rose shade length frock with a small



matching flowered hat and veil, was worn by the bride, and she carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds and white carnations entwined with gardenia. Miss Phoebe Ray was her sister's bridesmaid in a powder blue silk frock, with a flower hat and veil, and carried a spray of pink carnations and blue iris. Mr. William Bell, Vancouver, supported his brother, and the ushers were Flying Officer Ralph Baker, R.C.A.F., and L.A.C. Raymond Dereen, R.C.A.F., wars ushers. At the reception in the Royal Bank Hall, Mr. Ray was assisted in welcoming the guests by his sister-in-law. Miss Marjorie Ray, who was gowned in black with a three-tier cape, surmounted by a wide-brimmed hat, and carried a vase of sweet peas. Mr. C. C. Warren proposed the toast to the bride's niece. For a honeymoon in Vancouver the bride wore a turquoise blue and brown ensemble, with a corsage bouquet of gardenias. L.A.C. and Mrs. Bell will reside at Patricia Bay.

Young People's Organizations

FIRST UNITED

At the fireside hour to be held Sunday morning following the evening service, J. H. Power, world's work secretary for the Y.M.C.A., will present various slides on his travels. A swimming party will be held on Wednesday at the Crystal Garden at 7.30 p.m.

Girls to Appear

BUCKINGHAM Chr., March 25 — Police Chief Armable Rabe said today eight girls known as "The Buckingham Gang" would be witnesses at an open court-martial Monday of two members of the Veterans' Guard of Canada, charged with laxity in connection with thefts of gifts from parcels of food from a nearby internment camp recently.

The chief said the names of the girls would be known although they have not been released by the authorities. He said another seven would be Major Phillipps' Maids, who has protested the freedom given the prisoners and their "spy rides" with the Buckingham girls.

The prisoners were being taken to a dentist for treatment when the laxity is alleged to have occurred.

The chief said he had a report that the guards were not supplied up the Happy Gang quits and stayed a party at a hotel before they went back to the internment camp.

Was Nearly a Canadian

By MARGARET ECKER
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, March 26 (CP)—It was just a quirk of fate that Captain Maisie Pinsetz General Montgomery's personal secretary, wasn't a Canadian.

Captain Maisie probably would have been wearing the uniform of the Canadian Women's Army Corps or the R.C.A.F. Women's Division if he hadn't lived for a narrow strip of land in Maine.

When the boundary between Maine and Quebec was being settled, the farm of another Pinetz, her grandfather, came under dispute. Finally the boundary ran along the hedgerows and placed the farm in the United States.

But Maisie's mother is a member of the Canadian Women's Auxiliary Air Force and the Canadian

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Women in the War

Returns to Halifax

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WREN GERALDINE PATERSON

Who has returned to her W.R.C.N.S. station at Halifax, N.S., after spending leave with her mother, Mrs. P. H. Paterson, Carberry Gardens. En route she visited her uncle, Surgeon Lieut. S. F. Blundell, Port Arthur, Ont., and friends in Montreal and Ste. Hyacinthe, P.Q. Wren Paterson is one of the few Wrens who has experienced sea duty. She spent a day on a mine sweeper on the East Coast recently studying signals apparatus.

STRATHCONA OLD GIRL

With the American Red Cross in India is Miss Mary Hobson, who attended Strathcona Lodge under Shawnigan Lake, from 1920 to 1923. She is an assistant programme director with the Red Cross and word has recently received of her arrival in the Far East. Miss Hobson is the daughter of Mrs. M. B. Hobson, Albany Y., and is a close friend of Sqd. Ldr. Kitty Lake, C.W.A.C., daughter of Sir Richard and Lady Lake, Victoria. A graduate of Mills College, Oakland, Miss Hobson received her B.A. in 1937, and attended Banning College and Cornell University. She was a drama and physical education instructor at Bishop's School, La Jolla, Calif., until her appointment with the Red Cross.

AIRWOMEN RETURN

LAW S Hammill, RCAF (W.D.), who has been spending her furlough at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. Roydell, Wilkinson Road, left on Friday for Brandon, Man., where she is stationed.

LAW Myra Hodgson, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), left on Friday night for Macleod, Alta., after spending a furlough at her home at Colquitz.

Victoria Wren

WREN PATSY BEARD

Daughter of Commander and Mrs. C. Beard, 2468 San Carlos, who recently spent two weeks' leave with her parents. She has since returned to an Eastern W.R.C.N.S. establishment, where she is employed with the motor transport section.

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The citizens of Victoria will shortly be having an opportunity of witnessing this outstanding play, which will be produced in the Shrine auditorium, March 28 and 29, by a talented cast of 18 girls, under the sponsorship of the Dr. G. M. Jones Chapter of the I.O.D.E., in aid of their milk fund, and respectfully recommended that tickets be secured as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

Mrs. Fred Spencer is the general convener and during the performances the girls of the Victoria Drill Team will lend their services as ushers. Tickets may be obtained from the Marionette Library, Fletcher Bros., and any member of the chapter.

OLD-TIMERS WERE BIG

DUNEDIN, N.Z. (CP)—The fossilized skeleton of the largest penguin ever known, which lived 20,000,000 years ago and probably stood five feet high, have been discovered at Dunedrun. The modern king penguin stands three feet high.

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Mrs. S. C. Tweed Honored at Tea

Mrs. Sidney C. Tweed, life member of the National Council of Women, was guest of honor at a tea held at the Empress Hotel on Friday afternoon, when she, Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A. and Mrs. Blair Reid, receiving, about two hundred Liberal women in the lower lounge, which, for the occasion, was beautifully decorated with blossom and spring flowers.

Presiding at the tea table during the afternoon were Mrs. K. C. MacDonald, Mrs. H. G. T. Perry, Mrs. Norman Whittaker, Mrs. W. T. Straith, Mrs. Andrew Mackin, Mrs. F. J. Mitchell, president Liberal Women, Mrs. Blair Reid, Mrs. H. I. McKenzie and Miss Eileen MacDonald.

Mrs. Tweed addressed the assembly, speaking on rehabilitation and emphasizing the importance of study by women to thoroughly comprehend the postwar situation, and was introduced by Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A.

On Saturday Mrs. Tweed and Mrs. Hodges left for Duncan, where they were guests at a luncheon, and later went to Nanaimo to speak before the Liberal women at a tea. They will return today, when Mrs. Tweed will leave for Edmonton.

Saanich School Notes

Architect's sketches of the proposed Tillicum School auditorium that would provide temporary classroom space at a crowded school have been examined by the School Board. Plans for renovations at Lake Hill School have been approved. Attention is now being focused on plans for a modern right-room school and industrial arts workshop.

L. B. Matthews addressed members of the Tolmie and Cedar Hill P.-T.A. on the need for a new industrial arts workshop on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and exhibited samples of metal work and wood work being made by boys in Grades VII.-XI.

Under the chairmanship of J. Gough, municipal inspector of schools, two group meetings of Saanich teachers were held this week at Tolmie and Cedar Hill schools to discuss with Miss Baldwin provincial supervisor, how the schools might stimulate children and parents to make effective use of the nutrition bulletins to be issued in Greater Victoria during April.

Pupils, staff and parents of Royal Oak School will hold a sale of work and tea in the Women's Institute Hall, Royal Oak on the afternoon of April 4.

TONS OF PROVISIONS

Since Canada's entry into the war more than 100,000,000 tons of food, munitions and essential materials have been transported over the North Atlantic.

Clubs and Societies

W.A. to Children's Aid

W. A. to Children's Aid will meet at the Y.W.C.A. on Monday at 2.30 p.m.

St. Mark's W.A.

St. Mark's W.A. will meet at 2.30 p.m. on Tuesday in the parish hall.

W.A. to R.C.A.M.C.

W.A. to R.C.A.M.C. will meet on Tuesday at 2.30, at the Y.W.C.A.

King's Daughters

King's Daughters district meeting will be held Monday at 2.30 p.m. at headquarters.

Ex-B.C. Telephone Operators

The Ex-B.C. Telephone Operators' Club will hold a tea on Friday in David Spencer's dining-room at 2.30 p.m.

W.A. to R.C.A.S.C.

The R.C.A.S.C. Women's Auxiliary will hold a meeting at the Y.W.C.A. on Monday at 8 o'clock.

Prisoners of War

Canadian Prisoners of War Relatives' Association will meet at the home of Mrs. W. H. Price, 1527 Clive Drive, Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m.

Burnside

Burnside P.-T.A. will hold an old-time dance on Wednesday, at 8.30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Refreshments served.

Brentwood

Mrs. C. Churchbank presided at a meeting of the Brentwood P.-T.A. held recently. A bazaar will be held on May 17.

Typographical

Victory Club of WA No. 60 to the Typographical Union will meet on Wednesday at 7.30 at the home of Mrs. V. Smith, 1727 Lee Avenue.

St. John's W.A.

Meeting of St. John Senior W.A. will be held on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. It will be educational day and a short quiz will be held.

Court Maple Leaf, No. 9.97, A.O.F.

This society will meet Monday, March 27 at 7.30 p.m. After the usual business meeting bingo will be played.

Stagette Club

A meeting of the Stagette Club will be held Monday at 8 p.m. at the home of Miss Peggy Bishop, 1034 Queens Avenue.

W.A. to Pro Patria

W.A. to Pro Patria branch Canadian Legion will hold a card game at the Hall of Hearing Hall on Monday at 8 o'clock.

Second Mile Club

Meeting of the Second Mile Club of the First Baptist Church will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Dodsworth, 762 Langham Street, Tuesday at 8 p.m. A mystery sale will be held.

D.O.E.

Primrose Lodge No. 32, Daughters of England, met with Mrs. L. McLaren, worthy president, in the chair. After the meeting, a social hour was enjoyed. Assisting were Mrs. Merriman and Mrs. Harper. A rummage sale will be held April 13.

W.A. of Wilkinson Road

A meeting of the W.A. of Wilkinson Road United Church was held at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. J. C. Thomson. Mrs. A. J. Rainer presided. A tea and sale of home cooking will be held on April 18 at 2 p.m. The next meeting will be held April 18 before 2 o'clock.

Cadets Rebekah Lodge

Cadets Rebekah Lodge meeting will be held Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. in I.O.O.F. Hall, Douglas Street. Report on arrangements for the Primrose Tea April 19th will be given. Following the meeting a social hour programme will be held and refreshments served.

W.A. to C.C.C.

Christ Church Cathedral W.A., Senior Afternoon Branch, will hold an open meeting in the Memorial Hall on Monday at 2.30 p.m. The guest speakers will be Miss D. Illingworth, provincial Guide commissioner, and Miss M. Hannah, head of Guide training for British Columbia, both Anglican Sunday school workers.

L.C.L. of Centennial Church

The Ladies' Guild of Centennial United Church held a meeting recently in the church parlor. The president, Mrs. W. McCance was in the chair. Mrs. J. Bruce and Mrs. J. Cox led the devotional. Mrs. W. McLennan gave an interesting report of the Local Council's annual meeting. Arrangements were made to hold a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Gardiner's 83rd birthday, April 3, from 12 to 1 o'clock.

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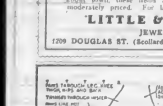

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Young Adventists Hold Prayer Week

Seventh Day Adventist young people, who form a gratifying percentage of the local church membership, are this week engaged in their annual Spring Week of Prayer. In the opening meeting on Saturday, the importance in successful living of frequency and earnestness in prayer, was stressed by the local elder.

He said: "As a source of intellectual and spiritual power, this associating with God is rapidly becoming a forgotten privilege." He said youth have a greater influence with those of their own age than the most elder people. And in these days of widespread "juvenile delinquency" urged the young people of the church to use their influence among their associates to build Christian characters and stable citizens.

Protest Drafting Of Aircraft Men

SAN DIEGO, Calif., March 25 (AP)—Three San Diego aircraft plants, in a joint statement of their attitude toward the tightening of selective service policy on occupational deferments, declared today that they "cannot continue indefinitely to produce our armed forces with hungry soldiers and airplanes."

In the statement by Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corp., Ryan Aircraft Corp., and the Solar Aircraft Co., the management said that "knowing how important the Government regards the production of heavy bombers at this stage of the war, we believe selective service will see no quibble as to give up men to the point where it will seriously affect our production activities."

Consolidated Vultee announced it was appealing all 1-A classifications of men carried on presently approved replacement schedules.

CANADA TO THE U.K.

Canada provides about 45 per cent of the world's bacon ration of the people of the United Kingdom, 32 per cent of their wheat, 35 per cent of their canned fish and 28 per cent of their cheese.

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An Easter sunrise service will be held at 7.30 o'clock Easter morning, it was announced yesterday by Dunnan A. Burden, president of the Victoria Camp, The Oaklands. The service will take place on the rocky ridge just east of the road in Beacon Hill Park, reached by entering the park from Douglas and Michigan Streets.

Entirely undenominational, the service will be open to all who wish to participate. Music will be supplied by the Salvation Army Band.

The time has been fixed to accommodate persons coming in the bus giving them a full ten minutes to walk from the bus stop.

Occidental Life Announces Gains

In releasing the 1943 report of the company's operations, V. Lockwood Miller, general manager for Canada of Occidental Life, with Canadian head office at London, Ont., remarked that "the manner in which outstanding insurance in Canada was maintained in force during 1942 and the purchase of new coverage was continued is possibly the most remarkable feature of the year 1943 insurance-wise. A record such as this clearly indicates the high value which policyholders are attaching to life insurance and is especially noteworthy in view of the increased tax burdens on the public and of the problem resulting from war conditions." Occidental Life had its biggest year in 1943 and sharp gains were registered in every department of company operations, Mr. Miller pointed out.

Life insurance in force on December 31 last reached the company's all-time high of $887,578,925, which places Occidental well up among the top 35 among the almost 600 life insurance companies operating in Canada and the United States. The gain in insurance in force during 1943 was $134,346,694—also a new high for a year's effort.

Payments to policyholders in 1943 increased $1,000,000 over 1942 to the new high total of $9,857,846, making $83,709,235 the total of payments to policyholders since organization.

Assets, disclosed by the annual statement to be $104,440,788, increased $14,670,788 or 16.3 per cent during 1943. Capital and surplus showed an even larger proportionate gain of 23.2 per cent to $5,918,800.

Group insurance, both life and accident and sickness showed one of the largest developments in the company's group life insurance in force totaling $176,182,971 at year end. Accident and sickness policies in force with premiums amounting to $4,690,738, showed a net gain of one of over $2,000,000 over 1942.

Occidental, through its acquisition of Western Mutual Life—the latter having written its first contract in 1887—has been identified for almost 60 years with Canada. Licenced under the Dominion Government Insurance Act, it maintains a full deposit with the Receiver-General at Ottawa, covering all policy reserves for the protection of its policyholders. This amounted to $2,767,606 on December 31 last, although liabilities were only $2,674,097.

Mr. Miller was very optimistic as to the outlook for 1944 in the life insurance business. "The public seems to have confidence engendered by this knowledge is reflected in the purchase of life insurance by the Canadian public.

A large share of the credit for the outstanding accomplishment of the company in 1943 should be given to its agency in this district, which made a remarkable record.

To Make Their Home in Victoria

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Who will take up residence at 1267 Hampshire Road, and are at present guests at the Empress Hotel. Mrs. Barclay, granddaughter of the late Mrs. John Galt, formerly resided in this city, coming here from Winnipeg. She is the wife of Lieut.-Cmdr. J. Barclay, R.C.N.V.R., who is also visiting Victoria.

By Hall Photographer

Barkley Silent About Roosevelt

CHARLESTON, W.Va., March 25 (AP)—Senate majority leader, Alben W. Barkley, in a surprise political statement, declared tonight that "it is unnecessary to emphasize the need for continuity of leadership in the war and in the peace that is to follow."

The veteran Democrat did not elaborate, giving no specific indication whether he would support Mr. Roosevelt if the President should run for a fourth term.

Barkley, whose recent break and reconciliation with President Roosevelt after veto of Congress' Tax Bill was a political sensation of the year, spoke at a Jefferson dinner sponsored by West Virginia Democrats.

Barkley noted there had been occasional differences of opinion between executive and legislative branches on domestic issues, but "on the whole the present has received the cordial support of Congress."

The preparation for war and total mobilization "had to be guided by somebody," he said, and the Democratic Party was the party of responsibility because the people chose that it should be that way.

"They made that decision in spite of a tradition that was a century and a half old—third term and they made it because we were in the shadow of the very conflict that precipitated Pearl Harbor.

"The President has utilized all the forces and elements in this country in mobilizing the great armaments of the American effort and Congress has supported him in that effort to a greater extent than was ever true before."

Liquor Problem For Washington

WASHINGTON, March 25 (AP)—The O.P.A. decided tonight that bartenders can't cut the size of a drink of liquor to absorb the new liquor tax increase, unless they reduce the price of the drink proportionately.

Seeking to correct what they said was an erroneous impression, Price Administration officials pointed out there would be extreme difficulties in doling out fractional jiggers in order to reduce the amount of taxable liquor in a highball to the next lower nickel level.

On the other hand, it will be legal to increase the price of liquor sold by the drink, adding three one to four cents a glass according to the absolute strength O.P.A. will say how much in each case.

The basic liquor tax increase is a boost in the liquor tax from $6 to $9 per 100-proof gallon, effective April 1.

HE GOT THERE

HARRY PALE, Idaho, March 25 (AP)—Rex Wood, 24, caretaker at the abandoned Blind Bull coal mine on the Idaho-Wyoming border, wasn't going to miss his premobilization physical examination at Cheyenne Wyo. With only two days to make it, Wood dodged snowdrifts, hiked five miles to board a plane sent for him. The plane was forced down by lack of gas. Wood tramped all night to a ranger station to get more fuel and arrived here with 12 hours to go.

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McNAUGHTON GUEST

MONTREAL, March 25 (CP).—Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, former overseas, was guest of honor at the Gen. McNaughton did not address commander of the Canadian Army, Sir Arthur Currie Branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., here last night. Sir Arthur presided over a new officers of the meeting beyond expressing his appreciation for being invited to the function.

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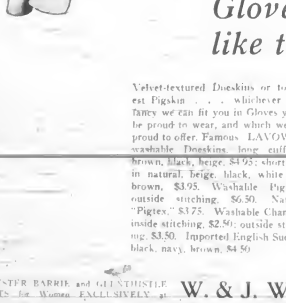

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JUST as Nature changes her dress and appearance in the Fall and Winter, so do we humans and when changes are made they should be recorded by snapshots. Pictures can tell an entertaining story of our lives and the world in which we live.

And don't think for one minute that those in the Service do not get a thrill out of pictures from home showing the changing seasons still, more particularly, the changes in the appearance of their families and friends after they have discarded their light, colorful Summer clothes and have donned their more sombre Winter garments.

Last Summer you perhaps sent your soldier a picture of sister Jane dressed in her bare sun suit, merrily playing in the backyard with her dolls. Or you may have a picture of mother and dad working in the Victory garden. Wouldn't a picture of dad wearing his heavier Fall or Winter clothing raking the leaves, or later shoveling the snow, be a contrasting story-telling picture that would be welcomed by anyone who has been away from home for some time? You know Hughie will be happy and gay dressed in her new Winter coat and hat! These are but two examples of the types of contrast, or story-telling pictures that can be made. Surely you can think of many more.

There are some, too, around the house or neighborhood that have been drastically changed by Nature. The terrace at the side of the home has probably been stripped of its colorful furnishings. The awning has been taken down and the shrubbery is bare of foliage. No, the scene doesn't have the ingredients for a pictorial masterpiece but it presents a story that Corporal Bill would enjoy and show to his buddies.

Don't let the light fool you when you're taking pictures at this time of year. You'll have to take most of your snapshots between ten in the morning and three in the afternoon because with War Time, in effect we are an hour ahead of regular sun time. And even between ten and three your light in the late Fall and Winter is much weaker than in the Summer, as if you use regular ciffome type film, plan to give your pictures full exposure, say f. 50 at f. 8. If it is a bright day, as compared with f. 30 at f. 11 on a bright day in Summer.

If you are not certain about exposure time it would be wise to purchase one of the ten-cent exposure guides from your photographic dealer. It will help you avoid many disappointments resulting from improper exposure and prevent the wasting of film. And that's mighty important these days—John van Guilder.

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Service Suspended

LONDON, March 25 (CP)—Civil air mail services between Britain and more than a dozen countries in and near Continental Europe has been suspended for operational reasons the Postmaster General announced tonight.

The reason was the same given last week for a ban on civilian movements in the 700-mile strip of the British coast facing occupied France, The Netherlands and Belgium.

Both civil and military air mail was suspended on Eighty Other Islands places affected included Portugal, Spain, The Azores, Switzerland, Cape Verde Islands, Madeira, Canary Islands, French and Spanish Morocco, Tangiers, Algeria Tunisia and Corsica.

Air mail service to prisoners of war and internees in Europe also was suspended except to Sweden.

NAY EDITOR DEAD

NEW YORK, March 25 (AP)—The controlled Danish home radio said today that Nay, 57-year-old Sigurd Thompson, editor of the Copenhagen newspaper Social Demokraten, had died last night of bullet wounds suffered when he was shot in the street.

Elect Officers at St. John Ambulance Annual Meeting

R. J. Pilberg, Officer of St. John, Comox, was re-elected president of the British Columbia Branch, St. John Ambulance Association, at the annual meeting last night in the Empress Hotel with a large attendance of Island and Mainland members.

Chairman G. H. Stevens, Knight of St. John, Victoria, told delegates that this meeting marked the doubling of a two-day convention of secretaries of St. John Ambulance, the first such convention to be held in the Dominion.

Minister, centres, from the American border to Williams Lake and along the coast, were represented by their secretaries. R. B. Prowse, speaking for the visitors, said this convention had proved of great value.

First class officers, proposed by J. Dickson, chairman of the nominating committee, was elected unanimously. Mr. Stevens read the thirty-second annual report, Secretary O. G. Rivenden, gave the financial standing and H. W. Edwardson, O.B.E., honorary treasurer, read his progress report.

Dr. T. W. Walker, superintendent of Royal Jubilee Hospital, told of the "marvelous work" done by the "ladies in blue" as he called the volunteer women who helped regular nurses at the hospital. Trained by graduate nurses, under the direction of Mrs. W. P. T. B. Pemberton, they had proved to be earnest and sincere students.

"They work is just as valuable as that of senior undergraduate nurses, they have amply repaid our trust in them," he said, adding that the skepticism of health authorities in the past had be had formed the first hospitals V.A.D. in Canada and at soon hospitals in other parts of Canada followed suit. These "Ladies in Blue" became the Royal Jubilee Hospital Corps of Nurses' Auxiliary.

They and the brigades were a "mighty fine inspiration in a programme for the health of the community," he said.

In reporting this year's progress, Mr. Stevens said they had issued 4000 certificates. The aim was to maintain the number and efficiency of graduates, and British Columbia had a larger number of people coming back to take subsequent awards than any other province.

First aid classes were being given to all Normalites, with the help of graduate nurses, who deserved great credit for their work, he stated. O. G. Rivenden had made many trips throughout the province establishing centres and advising centres.

J. Pyle-Smith, M.B.E., C.B. John, gave a brief summary of brigade activities for the past year. The work of St. John Ambulance had gone on for ten centuries he said, whether or not there were wars.

While formal cadet groups to all high schools had reduced the number of cadets they could recruit, St. John Brigades were still popular. They had treated 1,492 cases last year and had done important work in lifting 3,728 blood types for companies and organizations in Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster. Readiness to give transfusions had resulted in the saving of lives.

Appreciation of the Safety Branch of the Department of Labor was voiced by Director A. M. Wilson. He suggested more training along the lines of accident prevention and first aid among company employees. First Aid men manning logging camps were saving lives everywhere in the Province. They were instrumental in preventing much suffering and serious results of injuries.

Mr. Stevens commented that trained ambulance workers became safety conscious and pointed out that in industrial plants such as at Trail the percentages of accidents dropped tremendously when first aid courses were given.

Comm. T. W. S. Parsons, O.B.E., R.N.R., John, related the early history of the society, tracing its course to Malta. Ambulance workers and police had always been allied in the early days, and today provincial police were often the only men capable of helping in sickness and accidents in remote parts of the Province.

"In South Africa, I was with the Mounted police and we got a thorough course in veterinary work, but sometimes handling the natives was more rough. Kaffirs could take a great deal of punishment," he reminisced.

But tremendous strides had been made, he said, and today the police had excellent training in first aid.

"We have done something else for the first time in the British Empire," he said, "and that has been arranged to give young prisoners instruction in first aid on leaving gaol. Quite a lot of them are very much better for it.

"The female prisoners are much more difficult than the male; they are resentful and hard-boiled, many are drug addicts." These girls took home training and it gave them a different feeling when they left the prisons. Commissioner Parsons told of two first aid men saving a drowned child of less than two years. After being standing for an hour they were able to resuscitate her. These men were being recommended to the Royal Humane Society, he stated.

Mrs. C. B. MacAllister told of receiving a cake from Lord Gort thanking her for parcels of clothing sent to Malta, and she made a warm appeal in the different provincial centres to collect all the clothing they could, together with chocolate, gum, shoes and other necessities for the destitute children of heroic Malta.

Patron: Col. the Hon W. C. Woodward, K.St.J. Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia Honorary president: Col. the Hon. Eric W. Hamber, K.St.J. Honorary vice-presidents: Hon. John Hart, Hon. H. Anscomb, K.C., Chief Justice Hon. R. L. Maitland, K.C. Hon. G. S. Pearson, all of Victoria; A. S. Baillie, O.St.J. Copper Mountain; C. F. Browning Britannia Beach; J. Pyle-Smith, M.B.E. C.St.J., W. O. Murrin, O.St.J., C. G. Pennock, B. St.J., Major Austin Taylor, all of Vancouver, H. P. Wilson, Fernie.

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JOHNSTON NOMINATED

POWELL RIVER, B.C., March 25 (CP)—Colin C. Johnston has been nominated by Powell River Co. Limited C.C.F. group as their choice for the Comox-Alberni riding in the coming Dominion election. His name will be placed before the C.C.F. nominating convention to be held in North Vancouver in the near future.

ROCHDALE, England (CP)—Establishment of nurseries in pubs is a feature of this town's post-war plans for dealing with evacuee importation, but would play in the nurseries while their parents are refreshing themselves.

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REVIEWS OF NEW BOOKS

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From the Coral Sea right down to the present, Stanley Johnston has captured all the pounding excitement, the vivid feeling of actual participation in the all-ages battles of the United States Navy. His double-barrelled action story is a personal-narrative account of the war in the Pacific, as seen from the cockpits of Squadron VF-Ten, "The Grim Reapers." The author battle-trained with the leaders of this now-famous squadron and saw them, in thrilling combat, begin to shoot their way to victory.

"Where's Sammy?" by Sammy Schulman.

New York Times Book Review "the professional photographer of a camera man who has seen everything . . . His story—from Brooklyn to Europe and back in a never-ending shuttle—races with the speed of one of his cameras, clicking along with high good humor, action and information, and being altogether quite wonderful."

"Long, Long Ago," by Alexander Woollcott.

Two more story-teller at his immortal best. No one could recount an anecdote or write a "profile" with more charm and warm and flavor of Alexander Woollcott. In this volume—the first of his own writing since "While Rome Burns"—you will find Woollcott's friends and Woollcott's prejudices, the legends he loved to pass along, and the bits of history which can be savored alike to dig out. Here, most of all, you will find the fascinating world to which Woollcott contributed so much.

"Home Is the Hunter," by Costran de Poncins.

In this strangely compelling narrative, Costran de Poncins gives a story as far from the beaten paths of the novel as Kahlouna was from

Library Leaders

DIGGON-HIBBEN

"THE CURTAIN RISES," by Quentin Reynolds.
"MY LIFE WITH THE ENEMY," by Phyllis Bottome.
"NOW I LAY ME DOWN TO SLEEP," by Ludwig Bemelmans.
"MURDER'S RANSOM," by Charles G. Booth.
"THE LION RAMPANT," by L. du Garde Peach.
"BREATHE UPON THESE," by Ludwig Bemelmans.

HUDSON'S BAY

"BEHIND THE STEEL WALL," by Agnes Smedley.
"HERE IS THEIR WAR," by Ernie Pyle.
"THE FIVE GATES OF HELL," by Dorothy Thompson.
"ACTIVITIES IS NO GOOD I SOON A PRIVATE," by Sgt. Bill Mauldin.
"THE GREAT GRAND KID," by M. V. Heaton.
"WINGS IN THE SUN," by Somerset Maugham.
"DEAD TO THE WORLD," by Herbert Burrell and W. Bolton.

DAVID SPENCER

"WITH A BUTCH ATTENT," by David Turner on Jones.
"THE ROAD BACK TO PARIS," by E. T. Bell.
"WHAT TO DO WITH GERMANY," by Lewis Gunn.
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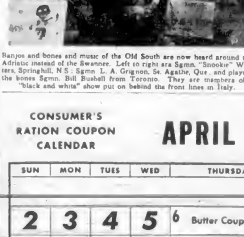

Banjos and bones and music of the Old South are now heard around the Adriatic instead of the Swanee. Left to right are Sgms. "Smokey" Winters, Springhill, N.S.; Sgms. L. A. Grignon, St. Agathe, Que., and playing the bones Sgmn. Bill Rushell from Toronto. They are members of a "black and white" show put on behind the front lines in Italy.

Navigation Students Might Welcome Idea

LONDON (BUP)—There are few men learning navigation today who would not welcome the suggestion made by A. P. Herbert that the names of the stars should be changed to make them easier to remember. Herbert is the member of Parliament who reformed British divorce laws.

The sailors, soldiers and airmen who are fighting in the the greatest war of all time the plains like Stalingrad and Tobruk, which are making history today, the strategic significance of past and present should find their place among the stars, he suggests.

Herbert has provided easy-to-remember names for 276 of the principal stars which at the moment have Latin names which bear no relation to what they look like or to the Arabic names which are meaningless to most Europeans. Here are some of his suggestions:

Leo should be Rufus. The individual stars—Chiana Kai Shek, Confucius, Churchaig, Canine.

Andromeda and Perseus—the Armed Services. Wright-Bolling, Semmes Dunnon, Stirling, Clipper Catalina, Kaiz, Flounces, Ball, Mollison.

Three Appointed

WASHINGTON, March 25 (CP)—Two Americans and one Canadian have been appointed to the United Nations Rehabilitation Administration, Herbert Walthal, acting director, announced today.

Edwin F. Hexson, of the United States, was named chief of the Division of Administration and Finance and Rolf Nugent of the United States, was appointed economic consultant in the Bureau of Supplies.

Andrew Cairns, of Canada, was appointed chief of the Division of Food.

Hexson and Nugent have both served several years on United States food and agriculture agencies.

GRANT WAGE INCREASES

MONTREAL, March 25 (CP)—A three-man arbitration board report today granted wage increases to policemen, firemen and police workmen employees of suburban Outremont. Raises in police salaries range from $150 to $450 a year, increases in firemen's salaries from $420 to $500.

Future Newspapers To Be More Compact

NEW YORK, March 25 (CP)—Editor and Publisher, celebrating its 80th anniversary this week, looks optimistically at the future of newspapers.

The trade magazine of newspaper publishers said editorially:

"Looking ahead to our diamond jubilee, we envision the newspaper of the years hence as being more compact, more portable and with greater objectivity. Future possibilities in mechanical production are limitless. With the reader continuing to provide a greater proportion of revenue, American newspapers should experience even more economic freedom."

The Journalist, a predecessor magazine to Editor and Publisher, was established March 22, 1884. Editor and Publisher established January 29, 1901, bought The Journalist and later took in newspaperdom, and the fourth weak

11M AMPUTATIONS

WASHINGTON, March 25 (CP)—The United States army divided the travelled highways of the world. Set in pre-war France it tells of a proud and lonely chateau and of the simple, devoted old man whose heart was rooted there. De Poncins has that rare gift of coloring the common place with strangeness and beauty and of discovering intense drama in everyday events. His new work has a timelessness that suggests eleasar nature

"Road to Texas," by David Rame.

By the author of "The Sun Shall Greet Them." The story of what American troops experienced from start to finish of the Tunisian campaign. The author was constantly in the fore of the fighting from the first disembarkation to the thrilling last-minute tank work. A fine account of battle and of the American soldier as he is illustrated his with photographs.

"Grande Parade," by G. B. Lancaster.

These romantic characters will live for you. They re Cockaynes all, and a fabulous tribe—beautiful Anne whose only rival was a ship, dashing Rupert who loved a score of women though his sea was his first mistress, Charmiay, enchanting and merry who clung to a love that could never be hers; and sharp

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through Representative Edith Nourse Rogers (Republican Massachusetts) today that the American soldiers have had arms or legs amputated since the start of the War.

ROCKHOLM (CP)—The newly finished ministship Borea, built by the Gota Works in Gothenburg, will be used by the Red Cross to carry food from Canada to Greece

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APRIL

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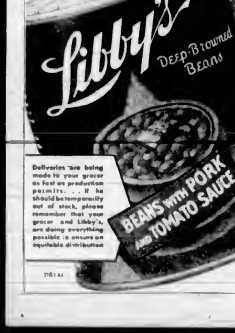

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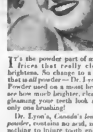

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Accidental Death

CHILLIWACK, March 25 (CP) — Accidental death by drowning was the verdict of a coroner's inquiry into the death of Mrs. Anne Davies, 52, of McIlwrath Road, Fairfield Island. Mrs. Davies' body was found floating in a slough backwash not far from her home less than an hour after she had been reported missing last Thursday.

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Battle Plans Depend on Young Combat Manpower, Now Deferred

By JAMES Y. NEWTON
North American Newspaper Alliance

WASHINGTON, March 25. — Measures under way to curtail drastically the number of draft deferments will not reduce war production if full use is made of the nation's manpower, and the only way to accomplish this end is through enactment of national service legislation, a high military official said today.

The official declared that the current drive for young combat manpower is based on battle plans laid down by General George C. Marshall. He said if the nation is not in accord with those plans it should get a new chief of staff.

Commanders in every theatre of the war are crying for young men, he continued, and so far the requirements of none have been met because service has failed to meet the army and navy quotas for men in every month since February, 1942, he said. Draft heads previously said that industries were lagging only since October. In addition, the average age of industrial workers calling resulting in an army that is a bit old for full effectiveness.

The nearly 600,000 men under 26 deferred on farms, regarded by some officials as "unloquitable" because of the Tydings amendment and farm political pressure, must be "screened" just as carefully by draft boards as those deferred in industry, the official said, adding that the same yardstick of "indispensability" must be applied to both classes.

While admitting full importance to the necessity for raising food for ourselves and fighting Allies, he said reverse thinking was involved in present plans to produce food by liberated peoples. The official declared our first job was to liberate them, and this could not be done if a large percentage of our young men were deferred on farms.

"I know of no one in this country who has gone hungry, and our stocks of foodstuffs are large," he remarked, adding that little could be done to offset the effects of poor growing weather, no matter how many men were released to farms.

The demands of the army and navy for more young men for combat duty are not new, the official said. Selective Service has been getting further calls each month in meeting quotas with more and more men deferred for occupational reasons, and the time finally arrived where drastic steps had to be taken, resulting in the President's deferment review order of February 26, he added.

The official said the contention that the nation cannot supply the combat units called for and at the same time produce the weapons and food needed was "ridiculous." Both industry and agriculture, he added, have been "fat" in laying replacements. He declared this country has the lowest percentage of its manpower in the armed forces of any of the warring nations—about 8 per cent.

So far in this war, the official continued, it has been overlooked that "first things come first" and that first call on manpower must be for men to fight. He pointed out that some countries — notably Russia — put men unfit for combat and women to produce the weapons, releasing able-bodied men for the front lines.

He admitted that voluntary methods of solving manpower problems had been given a thorough trial and found wanting, adding that the only answer to the demands for fighting men and production is a national service law. The needs of both war production and agriculture now are for quantity rather than quality, and the only way a quantity of manpower can be assured is through a bona-fide draft, the official argued.

"The time has passed," he declared, when the armed forces can be held responsible for manpower shortages. The time has arrived when we must have the fighting men we need."

Publishers at Toronto Meeting

TORONTO, March 25 (CP) — Next week is — unofficially — "newspaper week" for Toronto as the Dominion's publishers assemble for the annual meetings of The Canadian Press and the Canadian Daily Newspapers Association. Meetings are scheduled daily up to and including Saturday.

CDNA committee meetings began yesterday and directors of Press News Limited, CP's radio affiliate, met today.

For the 89 members of The Canadian Press, Canada's news organization, the week starting Monday will provide an inventory of news-gathering postures, difficulties under the impact of war, and plans for shifting the whole approach of news correspondents in the trafficlines from war to peace.

For CDNA members it will give an opportunity to discuss wartime publishing in the face of newsprint and manpower problems.

With Arthur R. Ford, of The Loadon, Ont., Free Press, president during the last two years in the chair, CP directors will meet Monday and Tuesday. At the annual meeting of the members Wednesday Mr. Ford will deliver the president's address and J. A. McNeil, general manager, will report on CP's year.

25TH ANNIVERSARY OF EMPIRE UNION

The CP marked the passing of a milestone—its 25th anniversary—at last year's meeting. This year the anniversary to be marked by Toronto newspaper men" on the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Empire Press Union.

Wednesday afternoon there will be a meeting of members of the Canadian section of the EPU, director W. Russell Davies, of The Kingston, Ont., Whig-Standard, is chairman. Wednesday evening the Canadian section will sponsor the EPU anniversary dinner, at which Hon. J. J. Astor, publisher of The Times, London, and president of the EPU, will be the principal speaker. Present will be three charter members: J. E. Atkinson, Toronto Star; P. D. Ross, Ottawa Journal, and M. E. Nichols, Vancouver Province.

Meanwhile CDNA members will be busy with committee meetings, discussing such topics as newsprint rationing, bureau management, and advertising policy.

The CDNA board of directors, headed by the president, Wesley McCurdy, of The Winnipeg Tribune, will be in session all Thursday morning. The annual meeting will start that afternoon, continue throughout Friday and conclude Saturday morning.

SURCHARGE REDUCED

SEATTLE, March 25 (AP) — The war emergency surcharge of freight and passenger rates from Seattle to Alaska, points and between points in Alaska will be reduced to 16 per cent, April 1, H. N. Peterson, general agent for the Alaska Steamship Company, was advised today by the War Shipping Administration. The surcharge now is 20 per cent from Seattle to Southeast Alaska and 25 per cent from Seattle to Southwest Alaska and between Alaskan points.

British Tars First Look at Thunderbird Park

THE six British tars pictured above bearing the H.M.S. of the Royal Navy were given a real handing their first look at Thunderbird Park, have been stationed at Naden for the last two years. Ranging from 19 to 25 years of age, these young sailors, sworn off a sea-going race, are old in fighting experience. Veterans of convoys of the seas of Empire, they "know the ropes and the breeze" to keep the shipping lanes open.

Reading from left to right they are: Able Seamen W. A. Williams, Wales; T. Johnson and B. E. Sibley, London, T. Phillips and J. Lightfoot, Scotland, and R. Knight, North Wales.

"What we have seen of Canada we think is great!" the boys declare, but they haven't had time to see much of it yet. They are struck by their brightly-lit streets, rows of houses undamaged by bombs or fire, the number of cars on the roads and the variety of food obtainable in restaurants.

Most of all, the young tars want to make friends in Canada and be invited into homes. They aren't looking for extravagant entertainment, but "we would like to be invited into average homes and feel like one of the family."

They don't talk much about it but each of these lads has suffered the exposures of wind and war on battle-stormy oceans; they have all seen under enemy fire and seen comrades die in action. Without exception, each has a good part of his family in the services in England and abroad. When they do reach port, in far-flung corners of the world, they are not able to afford luxuries in any sense of the word. Their pay, $17 a month, is by no means the measure of their valor.

De Valera Urges Rome Be Spared

OTTAWA, March 25 (CP) — A message sent to Prime Minister de Valera of Eire to the belligerent governments urging them to leave Rome, released today by the High Commissioner to Canada for Eire, said "it is clear to all that if the city be militarily defended by one side and attacked by the other, its destruction is inevitable."

"Millions of Catholics would risk their lives" to save the city's memorials, the message added.

"Future generations will forget the military considerations which may seem to them to justify the occupation or possession of Rome" but, should the city be destroyed, the fact of its destruction will be remembered forever. So, too, should the city be spared, the spared future generations will remember it.

According to Culbertson - - -

It is humiliating as well as expensive to be outbid out of the fulfilling trick, as South did in the following deal.

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

	NORTH	
	♠ K 8	
	♥ J 8 5 4	
	♦ K T 3 2	
	♣ 5 4	
WEST		EAST
♠ Q 10 8 3 3		♠ J 7 4
♥ Q 8 3		♥ A 10 8
♦ 5		♦ J 6 4
♣ K J 9 6		♣ Q 10 7 3
	SOUTH	
	♠ A 9 5	
	♥ K 7 2	
	♦ A Q 10 9	
	♣ A 8 2	

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♦	Pass	2 ♦	Pass
2 NT	Pass	3 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

West opened the spade three. Declarer played the king from dummy, crashed the ace and queen of diamonds and said something under his breath when the jack failed to drop. The best he could do now was to lead a diamond to the king and return a heart. Fortunately for him he was on side, so he went down only one trick.

North was not pleased that his partner had had to leave a good diamond in Dummy. But how could I help it?" South protested. If I left the spade king there for an entry after I gained the diamonds in my own hand I would have to lead a spade opening on the whole suit, and I could easily be fixed with spade tricks and the heart ace!"

"Bunk!" North said impressively but sidewise. If diamonds broke two-two, which was what you actually played for, you wouldn't have to take out the spade king to reach dummy. You could reach the 10 and overtake the nine, then lead a heart toward the king just as you did. But if diamonds didn't break and why should they? — you could make good use of the spade king for an entry and still bring in the contract if the heart ace was on side, which you played for, too. And the spade suit was divided no worse than five-three."

Of course North was right.

Major Triquet and Family

Canadian Army Photo

THERE is no prouder family in Canada right now than that of Major Paul Triquet, of Cabano, Que., who has been awarded the Victoria Cross, highest award for valor in the British Empire. His wife and two children are shown above, with Yolande B. on the left and Claude-Ik on the right. Mrs. Triquet, centre, is the former Alberte Chartier, of Ottawa. The picture of Major Triquet was taken when he was a regimental sergeant-major with the Royal 22nd Regiment.

Sends Sympathies

NEW YORK, March 25 (CP) — The B.B.C. reported today that Prime Minister Churchill had sent a message of "sympathy and encouragement" to the Greek people on the occasion of the 123rd anniversary of their Independence Day today.

The broadcast, in English, reported by United States Government monitors, said that Mr. Churchill recalled the peace agreement signed last February by Greek guerrilla leaders and declared:

"Now that they have composed their differences, I trust they will direct all their efforts against the common enemy."

Greece declared its independence of the Turks on March 25, 1821 and won the enabling war in 1828, when it became a kingdom under the guarantees of Great Britain, France and Russia.

In connection with the anniversary celebrations, Rush Crozier of Dover, Ireland, received an order of the day in Greek among the effects of his son, Leslie, who died and the same knife in his hand when he (Dover) struck him on the street.

Dismiss Charge Against Soldier

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., March 25 (AP) — City Judge Charles Kelley dismissed today a murder charge against Pte. George E. Jones, 20-year-old paratroop trainer, who admitted striking and fatally injuring a construction worker who, he claimed, had said he wished Japan would win the war.

Jones testified that he struck Robert Ricker, 35, once on the jaw after Ricker had said "I think the Japs ought to win the war, then they would not take so much money out of us for taxes."

Inner told the court his brother had been a prisoner of the Japanese since the fall of the Philippines. Ricker was found on the street Feb. 29 and died several hours later.

Jones pleaded self-defence, contending Ricker had drawn a knife on him in a cafe earlier in the evening, after and the same knife in his hand when he (Jones) struck him on the street.

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Brigadier Preston Opens New Drill Hall

PICTURED above is the new drill hall of Sechelt No. 1, Canadian Coastal and Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battery, which was formally opened Friday night at Port Mellon by Brigadier J. F. Preston. Well over 1,800 officers and men, as well as their friends, were easily accommodated in the large, bright hall, standard in size with "stage facilities."

Introduced by Lt.-Col. J. H. McIntosh, Brigadier Preston expressed his pleasure at being able to attend the opening of the hall which, he said, he had seen grow from its foundations. "It was," he said, "built primarily for training purposes, but we hope to be able to utilize it frequently for entertainment purposes for all nearby camps."

Brief congratulatory remarks in the background to one of the party of troopers from "The Footlight Flickers," brought over from Vancouver for the occasion.

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Cassino Air Barrage Proved Necessity of Good Infantry

By COL. FREDERICK PALMER, North American Newspaper Alliance

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Yes, our air bombardment did dirty the German infantry out of Cassino. Only the German infantry was back in Cassino before the Allied infantry could occupy it. So the Allied infantry had to start over again with the job where they left off when the air bombardment began—start again in the old close-quarter style of mud-to-mud fighting, of burrowing, gouging and hammering the enemy out of the ruins. And the shield covering their advance will be gunfire and not another large volume of bombing.

Cassino was as to positional warfare, and to its lessons in this line, Great War, not in the last period of the first Great War, but as early as 1916.

CLEAR IN OPEN BOOK

First, we don't want our soldiers' lives unnecessarily sacrificed because of neglect of these lessons which are written clear in the open book of military experience. Second, we don't want the infantry to lose respect for air power as they did toward the end of the first Great War. Then the Doughboys, mashed by shellfire and prayered by machine-gun and rifle fire as they charged the enemy trenches, got sore at hearing about the glorified aces in their dog flights.

What happened at Cassino under the air bombardment and what is happening there now are very much, in principle, like what I saw happen in the Battle of the Somme, June, 1916, which was the first big offensive of the new British Army.

This was two Summers before the end of the First Great War. We had not yet developed the rolling barrage. Enemy trenches and fortifications were submitted to preliminary artillery softening to prepare the way for the infantry storming. Thereon, a strong strategic hill and village, got a particularly heavy dose of big calibre gunfire before the Somme offensive.

But when the British Tommies went over the top, and the big gunfire and the covering barrage of lighter gunfire were lifted, the Germans were back on the job in the ruins of the Thiepval defenses. The Tommies were dumped dead by blasts of German gunfire at a point not. Substitute the air bombardment for heavy gunfire softening at Thiepval and you have the parallel at Cassino.

BACK ON THE JOB

At Cassino the German infantry could not fail to note the end of the air bombardment, in time to be back on the job in defence of the ruins to meet the Allied Doughboys' attack. The rubble of the ruins of the Italian towns with their thick walls of masonry particularly favors defence. A defender nestles into his cornice. An attacker is exposed as he crawls over it.

The thing is to know just what air power can do and cannot do in covering an infantry attack, particularly if there is any flak, bombers cannot be so accurate as guns. They are more likely to hit their own men.

The bombers real service in support of ground forces in the Italian campaign is in blind communications. When Allied bombers can shatter the German gunners and infantry for food and ammunition the Allies will be winning the battle for Rome.

"False-Bottom" Glasses Charged

CALGARY, March 25 (CP).—Charges that "false bottom" glasses are used in Alberta beer parlors and purchasers of beer receive only a few ounces of beer in each glass will be investigated by the Provincial Government, Premier E. C. Manning has assured a delegation from the Alberta Federation of Labor, Sam Bligh, Calgary, vice-president of the federation, told the Calgary Trades and Labor Council last night.

Mr. Bligh said the matter of "false bottom" glasses was brought up when the federation presented a brief to the executive committee of the Provincial Government in connection early this month.

Government ministers were told that while beer parlor customers were supposed to obtain seven and one-half to eight ounces in a glass of beer in beer parlors, they actually received only three or four ounces, Mr. Bligh said. The difference was accounted for by a false bottom in the glass and excessive froth.

Final Instructions On Ration Books

As the large army of volunteer workers made preparations to commence issuing new ration books Tuesday morning, final instructions were made public yesterday as the local ration office at the City Hall.

All red cards marked R.B. 99 in old ration books should be filled out, but not detached in order to speed up the work of distribution all persons are asked to fill out their cards at home, and on arrival at the issuing station must present their books to the examiners to be checked before being presented to the recorders.

Applicants are reminded that should they fail to apply for their new books, in the specified time they will have up with until April 17 before being issued with Ration Book No. 4. Persons over 16 years of age should sign their own cards. Cards of persons under that age may be signed by the parents.

Mrs. H. L. Smith, of the local Ration Board announced yesterday that the volunteer workers in charge of distributing centres are: City Hall, Mrs. A. R. Hopkins; Bank Street School, Mrs. C. D. Orchard; Burnside School, Mrs. W. J. Boyd; George Jay School, Mrs. E. J. Hall; Central Junior High School, Mrs. C. Johns; Margaret Jenkins School, Mrs. G. Pottinger; Oaklands School, Mrs. W. Blair; Quadra School, Mrs. W. R. Rowlatt; St. James Douglas School, Mrs. H. B. Howard; South Park School, Mrs. A. McKerron; Victoria West School, Mrs. A. Mewer; Oak Bay Municipal Hall, Mrs. W. A. Russell and Mrs. H. A. Beckwith; Monterey School, Mrs. L. R. Harper; Willows School, Mrs. A. J. Bowles; North Ward School, Mrs. O. Harris and Catholic Institutions, Mrs. Blair Reid.

Mussels, oysters and clams remove large quantities of debris from ocean water near shore.

Your Health and Your Weight

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

FIVE MEALS A DAY TO REDUCE WEIGHT

I have spoken before of the five-meal-a-day plan of Drs. Hazzard and Greenbury, Yale University School of Medicine. These research workers were able to show that factory workers in Massachusetts could do 16 per cent more work on the same amount of food divided into five meals than when taken at the three regular meals. The arrangement did not upset the workers or the families of the workers as they simply ate a part of their noon meal at 10 a.m. and a part of their evening meal at 4 p.m. The idea is that just as a worker would thirty begin to get tired, food given him the strength necessary to continue his work. In fact, instead of it being tiredness that causes accidents toward the close of the day, it is really hunger.

For years physicians doing special work in weight reducing have advised their patients that during the first few days or even weeks on the reducing diet, should they feel weak they may take some sugar or candy to tide them over until the next meal. These physicians are fully aware that a great many overweights will give up the reducing diet just as soon as this "weak" feeling returns. It is therefore better to let them have a little nourishment at such a time than to have them go off the reducing diet and perhaps not have the will or courage to try to reduce their weight. However necessary it is that they should do so.

With the idea of the five meals a day as an emergency producer, it is not surprising that instead of having the overweight take a piece of sugar or candy when he or she felt weak, the entire food supply for the day given at five regular periods has been suggested.

In her book "Foods in Health and Disease," Lola G. Graves, honorary president, American Dietetic Association, says:

"If one is very active or if for other reasons the stomach protests too vigorously at first a five-meal schedule may be adopted provided the meals are taken systematically and kept within the prescription given by the physician. Constant nibbling at food is unwise and the digestive tract makes no distinction between food eaten in the regular way and that eaten in bits at irregular times. The hungry feeling means merely an empty stomach. It does not mean that the tissues of the body are starved. The best method of treating it is to occupy the mind with other things. After ignoring this hungry feeling in the stomach for a time one usually finds that it no longer exists."

It is now agreed that not more than two pounds a week should be taken off if reduction is to be done in a safe manner. Keeping in mind the actual needs of the body from the standpoint of sufficient proteins, minerals and vitamins to maintain the body structure and the body processes, the following may serve as a guide in selecting a menu.

Breakfast: One orange or half grapefruit or half cantaloupe or berries or other fresh fruit in season (except grapes), without cream and very little or no sugar.

Lunch: Consomme, bouillon or clear soup, two saltines; one small serving cottage cheese or fish or squab or poultry; two green vegetables; 1 raw fruit dessert or fresh fruit or gelatin dessert with small amount of fruit or fruit juice, or baked apple without cream.

Dinner: Soup as at lunch; one serving lean meat, roast beef, steak or ham, baked or boiled fish or poultry; one small potato or one slice of bread, with two servings green vegetables; salad of lettuce romaine, watercress, etc., without oil dressing; dessert as at lunch; coffee or tea, clear.

From the lunch some food is eaten at 10 a.m., and from the dinner some food is eaten at 4 p.m. thus giving the body energy five times a day.

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Andrews does more than neutralize excess gastric acid. It moves the bowels, just as gently as you like; stimulates the liver; helps the kidneys—all important to fast relief of faulty elimination, a condition back of most digestive upsets. Remember Andrews at other times, too—in fighting colds, easing headaches, or just to bounce back when feeling low.
Take Andrews your way—a dash in water every morning as a wake-up drink, or in larger amounts as needed. It's a health-habit of thousands. Ask your dealer for Andrews today.
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Side by side, Canadians, Americans and Englishmen march along the road that leads to final victory. On the hot sands of North Africa, on the slopes of Sicily and Italy, our men have fought well together . . . given strength one to the other. Now, we look forward to the peace . . . and the ways in which we can preserve it.

Future world security rests to a large extent upon continued co-operation between the British Commonwealth and the United States. Of all nations, Canada is best situated to assure such co-operation. For we, of Canada . . . a major member of the British Commonwealth, have long been a close friend and neighbour of the United States. We know and like them both so well, we are the common meeting-ground for mutual understanding. Thus will Canada help the world to Win the Peace!

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Finance—Commerce—Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 25 (CP).—A few rails and specialties today imitated a definitely losing stock market week with a show of quiet strength but many leaders were unsuccessful in surmounting further profit-taking.

The fact that the list, on balance, had risen to within 1 of a point of its bull market top of last July and then failed to follow through, inserted the trimming of commitments Monday. Rails led a brief rally Tuesday as February revenues for the carriers disclosed a good expansion over the 1943 month. There was a resumption of offerings in a group Wednesday and the sharpest skimble since February 7 was suffered Thursday.

Modest recoveries appeared Friday but, with Prime Minister Churchill's intimations the invasion might get under way soon, dealings dropped to 841,710 shares after 10 successive better-than-a-million full sessions. Aside from the transport division, investors' demand centered mainly on specialties and new highs for the year or longer were plentiful.

Earnings and dividends, in addition to persistent political hopefulness, served to prop favorites Friday and Monday on. Trends were cloudy from the beginning to the end of the short session and activity small.

The Associated Press 60-stock average was unchanged at 30.4 for the week was down .3 of a point, most substantial six-day fall since early February. Transfers totalled 647,730 shares, a less aggressive pace March 4, and compared with 727,200 last Saturday.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

How Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials 129.19, off .09.
Twenty rails 40.13, off .09.
Fifteen utilities 33.47, till .01.
Total sales 647,730 shares.

(All A Number, Ltds)

	Close
Abitibi Power & Paper	13¼
American Can	67
American Tobacco	63½
American Woolen	18
Anaconda Copper	35¾
Associated Dry Goods	14¾
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	49¾
Atlantic Refining	20¾
Baldwin Locomotive	8¾
Bethlehem Steel	74¾
Borden Company	15¼
Borg-Warner	59¾
Briggs Manufacturing	28¾
Bruck Mills	20
Burroughs Adding Machine	24¾
Canada Cement	23½
Canada Dry	13¾
Canada Malting	40
Canada Steamships	7½
Canadian Breweries	19¾
Canadian Canners	13¾
Canadian Celanese	10¾
Canadian Pacific	9¾
Case (J. I.) Threshing	69¾
Celanese Corporation	17¾
Chrysler	69¾
Coca-Cola	132½
Colgate-Palmolive-Peet	23¾
Commercial Solvents	15¾
Consolidated Oil	6¾
Continental Can	72¾
Continental Motors	5¾
Corn Products	58¾
Crown Cork & Seal	30¾
Crown Zellerbach	30¾
Curtiss-Wright	5¾
Douglas Aircraft	51
Du Pont	163
Eastman Kodak	160
Erie R.R.	12
General Electric	36¾
General Foods	38¾
General Motors	63¾
Goodrich, B. F.	47¾
Goodyear Tire	39¾
Great Northern	21¾
Gulf Oil Corp.	51¾
Hudson Motor	21¾
Int. Nickel	39¾
Int. Harvester	89¾
Int. Paper & Power	10¾
Johns-Manville	57¾
Kelsey Hayes	14¾
Kennecott Copper	39¾
Lambert	18¾
Liquid Carbonic	29¾
Loew's	34¾
Lorillard	19¾
Mack Trucks	20¾
Minneapolis-Moline	6¾
Monsanto Chemicals	69¾
Montgomery Ward	49¾
Nash-Kelvinator	11¾
National Biscuit	19¾
National Cash Register	19¾
National Dairy	17¾
National Distillers	29¾
National Lead	29¾
New York Central	14¾
North American	19¾
Northern Pacific	10¾
Packard Motor	4¾
Pan American Airways	9¾
Paramount Pictures	23¾
Penney (J. C.)	69¾
Pennsylvania R.R.	27¾
Pepsi-Cola	9¾
Pfizer (Chas.)	17¾
Phelps Dodge	29¾
Philco	14¾
Phillips Petroleum	39¾
Pitney-Bowes	34¾
Procter & Gamble	39¾
Public Service	3¾
Pullman	39¾
Pure Oil	14¾
Radio Corporation	9¾
Republic Steel	19¾
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	29¾
Richfield Oil	9¾
Safeway Stores	19¾
Sears-Roebuck	69¾
Shell Union	14¾
Simmons Company	19¾
Socony-Vacuum	9¾
Southern Pacific	19¾
Southern Railway	14¾
Standard Brands	9¾
Standard Oil (Calif.)	39¾
Standard Oil (Ind.)	39¾
Standard Oil (N.J.)	39¾
Stewart-Warner	9¾
Studebaker	9¾
Sun Oil	39¾
Texas Corporation	39¾
Texas Gulf Sulphur	39¾
Timken Roller Bearing	39¾
Transamerica	9¾
Union Carbide	39¾
Union Oil	39¾
United Aircraft	39¾
United Corporation	9¾
United Fruit	39¾
United Gas Improvement	9¾
United States Rubber	39¾
United States Steel	39¾
Vanadium	39¾
Westinghouse Electric	39¾
Woolworth	39¾
Yellow Truck & Coach	9¾
Youngstown Sheet & Tube	39¾
Zenith Radio	39¾

Closing Averages

(James Richardson & Sons)

CLOSING INDEX

Twenty industrials 118.17, down .05.
Twenty golds 160.53, up .07.
Fifteen Western oils 28.54, up .03.
Total sales 267,000.

CLOSING MONTREAL AVERAGES

Twenty industrials, 77.90 unchanged.
Ten utilities, 55.26, up .26.
Thirty combined 70.60, up .10.
Ten pulp and papers 136.18, up .68.
Fifteen golds 74.62, off .37.
Total sales 26,000.

Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, March 25 (CP)—The Toronto Stock Exchange market today ended the week on a dull note. Volume spurted from a slow start to the 267,000 mark.

In gold prospects, Armistice and Jellicoe launched new lows, while among golds proper, minor recessions were recorded by Pickle Crow, Aunor, Central Pat, Malartic and Bear McKenzie and Bullivan gained a few cents each.

Base metals were re-elected while a quiet Western oil list produced a 6-cent loss for Calvan & Edmonton and a 2-cent gain for British Columbia.

The industrial list was featureless with Agnew Surpass hitting a new high at 16 up 1.3-4, and Bell, Lawrence Corporation slipping 1-2 to a new low at 2.1-2. Utilities were irregularly higher in light business with Bell Telephone gaining a point.

MINING SECTION
(Inland Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Ask	Close
Alberniac			6½
Alcoa Corporation			39¾
Algoma			39
Aglico			3.82
Aimaque	30½	39	30½
Base Metals			11
Bear Exploration	74	80	74
Beatty			1.75
Belmoral-Rowland			42
Bidgood			21
Bralorne	.29	.24	.25
Brewis			13½
Brunhy Porcupine			1.75
Buffalo Ankerite			3.70
Bullion	1.81	1.80	1.80
Calvalier Mariner			80c
Carlbou Gold M.			1.90
Cariboo Trelo			10c
Central Patricia	1.71	1.70	1.70
Chesterville Larder	1.40	1.42	1.40
Chibougamau			1.25
Chimo M. & S.			10c
Coleman Red Lake			90c
Coniagas	91.75	91.50	91.75
Consolidated			1.30
East Malartic			1.30
Fairchild Lake			2.30
Falconbridge			39
Gold Lake			10c
Goldcrest			10c
Goldora Lake			10c
Graham Bell			10c
Granbar Gold			10c
Grand Rouge			10c
Hard Rock	.05	.04	.04
Hudson Bay Mt.	11.25	11.12	11.25
Jacobus			10c
Jellicoe	.03	.02½	.02½
Kirkland Lake			1.30
Lake Shore Mines	1.02	.98	1.02
Lamaque			1.60
Lavery Gold	1.04	1.12	1.12
Little Long Lac			1.60
Macassa	9.85	9.80	9.80
Modern Red Lake			10c
Moneta Porcupine			1.80
Mosher Long			1.90
McKenzie Red Lake	1.85	1.48	1.48
McMillan (Yorkshire)	.75	.70	.70
McWatters			2.95
Nipissing			3.20
Noranda	46.00	46.75	46.00
Normetal			85
Norgold	1.45	1.44	1.44
Obaska			10c
Pamour			4.10
Perron Gold			70c
Pickle Crow			1.78
Perrix Gold			10c
Pioneer Gold			1.60
Pitoma			13
Preston East	1.10	1.09	1.10
Quebec			10c
Pacific Coast Base	2.60	2.55	2.60
Quemont			53

Rea Auxuma			5.95
Reliance Range			27
Rochette Cadillac			10c
Shore Cried			10c
Siama			4.00
Sigma			1.60
Sturgeon Malartic			10c
Stray Bird			9.12
Sudbury Basin			1.10
Sullivan	3.71	3.62	3.70
Sylvanite			1.30
Tri-Bullion			10c
Tobora			90c
Upper Canada			10c
Vanlandi			4.10
Wright Hargreaves			4.90
Wright-Hargreaves 4.60		3.90	

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Hugo Investments, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Associated Breweries	29¾	32
Bell Telephone	121½	122½
Bell Telephone 4%	113½	115
Brazilian	23½	23¾
B. C. Power "A"	21¾	22
B. C. Power "B"		21
Can. Cyc & Plas. Pfd. Old	6¾	7¾
Can. Cyc & Plas. Pfd. New	99	97
Can. Breweries	19½	20
Can. Steamships, Pfd.	84¾	86
Can. Cement "A"	40¾	38
Can. Cement "B"	39½	37¾
Can. Celanese	27	28
Can. Dyes	39	40
Consolidated Paper	8¾	8¾
Consolidated Smelters	41½	43½
Dominion Bridge	74¾	76
Dominion Foundry	71¾	73¾
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	7¾	7¾
Dom. of Canada "A"	24½	24¾
Dom. of Canada "B"	24½	24¾
Goodyear, Pfd.	83	87
Gypsum	40	42
Hiram Walker	99	99½
Hiram Walker, Pfd.	115½	117
Imperial Oil	13¾	13¾
Int. Nickel	39¾	39¾
Int. Petroleum	38½	38¾
Labatt "A"	34	35
Labatt "B"	34	35
McColl-Frontenac	99	100
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	103½	
Massey-Harris	8¾	9¾
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	28¾	31
Montreal Locomotive	39¾	41
National Breweries	30¾	32
National Steel Car	36	38
Ogilvie	23½	24½
Ogilvie, Pfd.	108	110
Power Corp.	47½	48½
Steel of Canada		51½
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	4	5½
Thompson Products	19¾	20½
Toronto Elevators	13¾	15
Toronto Elevators, Pfd.	105	107
Traders Finance "A"		29¾
Traders Finance "B"		29¾
Walkers	19¾	20¾
Walkers, Pfd.	103	105
Wabasso	19	20
Weston	30	31
Weston, Pfd.	103	104
Wilsil	3.50	3.75
Winnipeg Electric	3.50	4.00
Winnipeg Electric, Pfd.	15	20
Wood, Alexander	10	12
Wood, Alexander, Pfd.	70	75
Wrigley	10	12
Wrigley, Pfd.	100	102
Zellers	19	20
Zellers, Pfd.	100	102

Egg Market

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Products Inspection Service, Victoria, B.C.:

To producer:
Grade "A" large 29
Grade "A" medium 27
Grade "A" pullets 21

To wholesalers:
Grade "A" large 33
Grade "A" medium 31
Grade "A" pullets 25

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, March 25 (CP).—An insufficient supply of free grains to terminal markets to meet the commercial demand supported a fractional upturn in grain prices today. Ceiling prices were paid for May wheat, barley and wheat during the session, with wheat dropping slightly below the maximum at times.

Commission houses were generally on the buying side, with offerings being stopped mainly by local traders. There appeared to be a good quantity of May wheat available at the close.

At the close wheat was 1 lower to ¼ higher, May $1.75-¾ asked; oats were ¼ lower to ¼ higher, May 82-82½; Rye was unchanged to ¼ higher, May $1.30-¾, and barley was up ¼ to 1¼. May $1.28.

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, March 25 (CP)—Late foreign exchange rates.

Canadian dollar in New York open market (0 11-16th per cent discount, or 99 31-32 United States cents, unchanged.

Europe: (per) British, official, buying $4.02, selling $4.04.

Latin America: Argentina free 24.95, unchanged. Brazil free 5.20n. Mexico 20.03n.

N—nominal.

Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER, March 25 (CP).—Mines made a few gains while the field fairly steady on Vancouver Exchange today. Total turnover was 73,900 shares.

Cariboo climbed 3 to 1.65 and Home Gold was up a fraction at 1 3-4. Kootenay Belle jumped 1 to 32 and Hilhaa was up 1 at 78. Hedley Mascot slipped 2 to 87.

C. & E. Corporation was up 1 at 1.81 and Model remained unchanged at 31.

(Mara, Gain & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alaskan	04½	.05
Anglo-Canadian	3.00	3.25
Arjon	03	04
Arthur Dominion	1.10	
C. & E. Corp.	1.81	1.85
Calmet	21	22½
Canadian Oil	30	32
Chemainus Milk	26	30
Dalhousie	35	40
Dentonia	11	12
Pacific Petroleum	1.10	
Redmond Barnes	07½	
Reno	4.50	
Rexspar	80	85
Rupert Gold	02½	
Sheep Creek	1.60	1.65
Silver Standard	20	21
Model	30½	31
Mid City	08	
National Pete	21	25
Nicola	08	09
Pacific Coast	03	
Pacific Pete	85	90
Pacific Petroleum	20.00	20.50
Pioneer	2.60	2.75
Prairie Oil	05½	
Prairie Pete	07½	08
Vanalta	33	
Vanoil		35

(Mara, Gain & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Bayonne Cons	07½	08½
Bay Mines	1.00	1.05
Bellekeno	1.40	1.45
Consolidated	81	83½
Dentonia	26	
Dome Mines	45	47
Eldona	08	
Falconbridge	39	40
Graham Bell	09	
Grull Wihksne	82½	85½
Hasaga Gold	1.00	1.05
Hollinger Cons.	10.00	10.25
Kerr Addison	1.80	1.85
Lake Shore	1.00	1.05
Lebel Oro	07½	08½
Little Long Lac	1.60	
Malartic Gold	1.30	1.35
Mayo	1.00	1.05
McKenzie Red	1.45	1.50
Noranda	46.00	46.75
Normetal	85	
Pamour	4.10	
Preston East	1.10	1.09
Quebec	10c	
Quemont	53	
Sherritt Gordon	1.00	1.05
Sullivan	3.70	3.75
Sylvanite	1.30	
Wright Hargreaves	4.90	
Yukon Gold	1.00	1.05

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN

(All A Number, Ltd.)

Rye	Open	High	Low	Close
May	130	130	130	130
July	130	130	130	130
Oct.	128	128	127¾	128

Cash Grain

Oats
No. 1 C.W. 61½
No. 2 C.W. 59½
Barley
No. 3 C.W. 64¾
No. 4 C.W. 62
Rej. 58½
Feed 58½
Track 128½

CHICAGO GRAIN

(All A Number Ltd.)

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
May	175¾	177¼	175¼	177¼
July	138¾	139¾	138¾	139¾
Sept.	136½	137¼	136½	137¼
Oats	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
May	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
July	73¾	74¼	73¾	74¼
Sept.	73¾	74¼	73¾	74¼
Barley				
May	130	130¼	130	130¼
July	128¾	129¼	128¾	129¼
Sept.	126¾	130	126¾	129¾

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, March 25 (CP)—Export business by the United Kingdom reported today on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange was estimated at 1,000,000 bushels of wheat, mixed in the form of flour.

Additional export dealings included 850,000 bushels of Nos. 2 and 3 Northern wheat taken by the United States Commodity Credit Corporation.

Five futures closed 3-8 to 2-4 higher following an active session. May finished at $1.30.3-4 and $1.28.3-8 and October $1.28.3-4.

Good general buying in the pit was reported at the close.

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, March 25 (CP)—Selected utilities and carriers were pointed up in trading today on effective stock exchange and curb market.

Montreal Power and its protective subsidiary, Southmount, were a bit higher in continued activity arising from the introduction of Provincial legislation to expropriate the parent company. Sales were 5,900 Power and 5,800 Southmount.

Among other utilities Bell Canada, Northern Power and Winnipeg Electric preferred edged back C.P.R. and Steamship were fractionally better in carriers.

General Steel Wares and Fleet firmed in industrials and Oilcloth was off. Abitibi 4 per cent preferred and Consolidated Paper backed up in papers. Walker was improved in liquor.

International Petroleum was in front in refineries and Pan-Am Base hardened in mines while Dome fell back. Lake of the Woods posted a decrease in miscellaneous.

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	121½	122½
Brazilian Traction	23½	23¾
Can. Bread	11½	13
Can. Cement	40	43
Can. Cement, Pfd.	99	100
Can. Dyes	39	40
Can. Steamships	8¾	9¾
Can. Steamships, Pfd.	84¾	86
Can. Vickers	23¾	24¾
Can. Wire & Cable "B"	24½	25½
Can. Breweries	19½	20
Can. Breweries, Pfd.	99	100
Can. Celanese	27	28
Can. Celanese, Pfd.	97	98
Can. Cottons	35	40
Can. Cottons, Pfd.	94	96
Can. Dredge & Dock	16	18
Can. Industrial Alcohol	10	11
Can. Industrial "A"	107	108
Can. Pacific	9¾	10
Can. Vickers, Pfd.	83	84
Can. Wire & Cable "A"	24½	25½
Can. Wire & Cable, Pfd.	92	94
Can. Car & Foundry	37	38
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	93	95
Can. Converters	4	5
Can. Converters, Pfd.	30	35
Can. Oil & Pete	3¾	4¼
Can. Oil & Pete, Pfd.	37	39
Can. Oilcloths	10	12
Can. Oilcloths, Pfd.	94	97
Can. Packers "A"	16	17
Can. Packers "B"	16	17

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Gardening on City Lots

Asparagus — The patch may be started by sowing seed or by buying one-year-old plants. Plant seeds about six inches apart, and transplant the following year to permanent rows four feet apart the plants 20 inches apart in the rows.

Rich ground is necessary and a heavy application of manure well worked into the soil is essential to ensure proper growth. When preparation is completed, dig out a trench six inches deep and four inches wide and set plants in the bottom. Cover the plants with three inches of soil, and as plants grow fill in with soil until surface level is reached. Keep well hoed through the Summer. In the Fall cut off old stalks and burn.

Cutting is commenced the third year after planting and may be kept up until the end of June, but not later.

Beans — Beans require a rich warm, loose soil. This can be accomplished by digging and working thoroughly before planting. With the exception of the Broad Windsor, beans should not be sown until all danger of frost is over. Broad beans should be sown early in the Spring as they require a long cool season.

Beets — For the early crop the seed may be sown as soon as the ground can be prepared in the Spring. For the Winter crop the seed may be sown about June 1. A rich soil and constant cultivation are necessary to produce quality. On a new piece of soil a light dressing of slaked lime will be found to be beneficial.

Broccoli — Closely resemble cauliflower, although the heads are smaller and this plant is much hardier. It is a cool-weather crop and really makes its best growth during the Fall. Heads are blanched in the same way as cauliflower. Recommended as a Winter crop for Vancouver Island. Sow seeds outdoors about the middle of May and set plants out about the first week in July. One or two waterings after planting will be found beneficial.

Cabbage — For early cabbage a well-drained piece of soil is desirable while late cabbage will do better on a cooler and heavier soil. Thorough working of the soil in the Spring as well as in the Fall is advisable.

For early cabbage the seed may be sown in the hotbed from February 1 to March 1. Transplant the seedlings about three weeks in a cold-frame in order to harden them off. About three weeks later transplant to the garden. Early cabbage may also be started by sowing the seeds in rows about six inches apart in the garden about the end of July, and transplanting to permanent rows in the garden about September 1. Here they are allowed to pass the Winter and will be in satisfactory shape to start growth in the Spring. Early plants for Spring planting may also be secured by planting seed about the middle of August and leaving in the seedling rows through the Winter. Late cabbage seed is usually sown about the end of April and the plants set in the field about June 1. Constant cultivation should be given, as cabbage require lots of moisture.

Cauliflower — Any soil that will grow good cabbage will do for cauliflower. Continuous growth is important, as any check to growth will give a product poor in quality. The early and late varieties are planted the same as early and late cabbage. When the heads are about the size of a teacup, the leaves should be tied together at the top or broken over so as to shade the flower; this ensures a good white flower.

Carrots — The soil should be deeply and thoroughly prepared and of loose texture in order to admit of root development. The seed is sown in the open ground in drills 18 inches apart and the plants thinned to two inches apart. The soil should be well covered with soil, thus excluding it from becoming green and unfit for table use.

Celery — The chief requirements for celery are plenty of moisture and an abundant supply of plant food. Barnyard manure is the best fertilizer and heavy applications should be made.

The seed for early celery should be started in shallow boxes any time about the middle of March. When about three inches high, transplant to boxes similar to those in which the plants were grown. Here they are set three inches apart each way and remain until they are set in the garden row. For late celery the seed may be sown in a seed-bed in some corner of the garden. The seed is sown thinly, covered lightly, and the plants grown here until set in the garden row.

When setting plants in the garden row the double-row system will prove the most satisfactory. Here the plants are planted five inches apart and the two rows six inches apart. If a second row is planted it should be at least four feet from the first double-row. In planting do not dig out a trench but plant on the level, and in order to blanch the celery in the Fall, heap the earth up around it.

When storing, dig with roots on, stand upright in earth in cellar or pit. Place two rows together, with a few inches between for blanching.

Sweet Corn — The soil should be very rich in plant food. A heavy application of barnyard manure and soil worked well are essential to success. Sow seed as soon as danger from frost is over. Constant hoeing is necessary to keep down weeds and maintain growth.

Cucumber — The general recommendations for corn apply also to this vegetable. Hills are made about four feet apart each way. A large quantity of manure is dug into a hill and the seed planted, but when the plants are up all are removed but four in a hill. Seeds may also be started in a hotbed and the plants transplanted to the garden.

Herbs — All herbs are grown from seed sown in the open ground in early Spring. A shallow furrow is dug with a trowel or hoe, the seed scattered in this furrow, and covered lightly with soil. Summer savory and sweet marjoram should be cut when in full bloom, and sage should be cut before Fall rains and the foliage dry. Parsley sown in the Spring may be left in the ground during the Winter, where it will remain fit for use at any time.

Lettuce — Plenty of manure and water are essential. The seed may be sown in the open as soon as the ground can be worked in the Spring. For a Fall crop the seed may be sown the last of August.

Onions — Well-worked soil rich in plant food is essential. Work the soil thoroughly by digging and raking. Sow seed in shallow furrow and firm soil over the seed. Seeding should commence as soon as possible in the Spring in order that the plants become well established before the hot dry weather. When plants are large enough to be used as green onions they should be thinned to about four inches apart. The withering and falling of the tops indicate maturity and the onions should be pulled. After pulling, leave them in rows on the ground to dry; this will take about a week; when dry, they may be topped and stored.

Onion-sets may be bought a dried from the seedsman. They may be set in the Spring as soon as all danger from frost is over, care being taken not to set too deeply. The same care and preparation of the soil as recommended for onions is advisable for growing onions from sets. The sets should be placed in rows 14 inches apart and three inches apart in the rows. When placed in the rows they should be barely covered.

Parsnip — Parsnips require the same kind of soil and preparation as advised for carrots. The seed is sown in drills and plants thinned to four inches apart.

Peas — Peas may be sown in the Spring as soon as the ground can be worked. Thorough manuring and the deep-working of the soil is recommended. Seed is sown in rows two feet apart. Successive sowings may be made up until the middle of May but as the pea is a cool-season vegetable early plantings are the most successful.

Radish — The seed may be sown in the Spring as soon as the ground is fit to work. Successive sowings ten days apart may be made up until June 1. Fall plantings may be made between the middle and the end of August. It also makes a very good crop for hotbed work.

Spinach — One of the earliest garden products. This seed may be sown in the Spring as soon as the ground can be worked, and successive sowings made every two weeks until the middle of May. Rich, well-drained ground cannot be made too rich and the richer it is the less bolting the plant is to go to seed. For a Fall crop seeding should be done about August 1. For a crop that you intend to carry through the Winter and use in the early Spring, seeding should be done about September 1.

Squash — The hills for planting are prepared similarly to those recommended for cucumbers and melons. The hills are placed in rows four feet apart each way. Plants need as soon as danger from late frost is past. Vegetable marrow may be started as soon as they are of sufficient size. Late varieties may be harvested as soon as the vines begin to die in the Fall. When harvesting, leave part of the stem attached to the squash, as this will lessen danger from rot.

Turnips — For the early crop the seed may be sown as soon as the ground can be worked in the Spring. For the main crop for Winter use the seed is sown about June 1. A continuous growth is necessary to produce quality; a growth checked by heat or lack of moisture develops a root containing much fibre and lacking in quality.

Sow Ahead of Frost With Aid of Hotbed

It is often necessary to start plants of certain crops before the danger of frost is over. This may be done by sowing the seed in shallow boxes, which may be put in a south window of a dwelling-house, or by sowing in a hotbed in a cold frame for later plants. Early cabbage, early cauliflower, tomatoes, celery, etc., are started in this way, and later transplanted two or three times before finally setting them in the open ground. The shallow box, about four inches deep, does very well to start the early plants in when only a few are required. Fill this box about three-quarters full of good soil made up of one part well-rotted manure, three parts good garden or rotted sods, and one part of fine sand. Have holes in the bottom of the box so that it will drain easily. The seed may be sown in rows about quarter-inch deep, or sown broadcast and covered over with a light covering of soil.

In order to lengthen the season of fresh vegetables and also to raise plants of variety that require a long season, the hotbed is often employed. The heat for this is supplied by fermenting stable manure. When collecting the manure, care should be taken to see that it is not "leached" or "burnt out." It should be well tramped and thoroughly heated, and then made into a hotbed.

The hotbed should be located on the south side of buildings, or a fence, and protected from cold winds as much as possible. The location should also be drained. A two-sash frame will be large enough for use in the average garden. The frame for supporting two sashes will need to be six by six feet, if inches high at the back and 12 inches in the front. Each sash will be three by six feet. Other sizes may be used if and the Timber sizes according.

The manure may be put into a pit which is about 18 inches deep, or placed on the surface of the ground to the depth of about two feet. The bed of manure in either case should extend a foot beyond each side of the frame. As each layer of manure is placed on the bed it should be trampled firmly. After placing frame on bed, bank the manure around the side, and then place a few inches of soil on top of manure in the frame. Cover with sash, and when temperature has dropped to 80 degrees, seed may be sown in the soil in the hotbed or in flat boxes similar to those recommended for use in the house.

In the management of hotbeds do not allow temperature to run too high. Open slightly in daytime to permit fresh air to enter and run grass to escape. Water during the middle of the day, and keep soil damp, but not wet.

Before transplanting plants grown in the hotbed to the open field they should be "hardened off." This should be started about two weeks before the plants are ready to be transplanted, and may be accomplished by increasing the time each day that the sash is kept off the frame, until it is removed altogether.

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Capitol Theatre Offers Film "The Desert Song"

Working in a 50-mile gale, with the temperature toppling 100 degrees, Warner Bros. "The Desert Song" company, on location near Gallup, N.M., can now understand what the early settlers went through.

Hot, whirling sand made the New Mexico location especially trying to cast and crew.

But in spite of the handicaps faced by Director Robert Florey and a large cast headed by Dennis Morgan and Irene Manning, the Technicolor second desert scenes of extraordinary beauty.

Warner Bros. selected the Gallup location site because at no other spot outside of Morocco itself, according to Technical Director Eugene de Laurie, can the exact likeness of the North Africa desert be duplicated.

Completely modernized, Robert Florey's version of "The Desert Song," which opens on Monday at the Capitol Theatre, lacks nearly no current history for its plot. None of the Sigmund Romberg music has been omitted in the present-day version, however.

A Scene From "The Desert Song" at Capitol

A scene from Warner Bros. Technicolor production, "The Desert Song," which is playing all week at the Capitol Theatre, commencing on Monday. Dennis Morgan (shown above) and Irene Menning are featured in the film.

"Flesh and Fantasy" Held Over at Plaza Theatre

Having thus proved conclusively that he is a master of understatement, Charles Boyer will, if urged, explain that "Flesh and Fantasy," which is being held over at the Plaza Theatre, is not wholly his idea. He co-producer and director, Julien Duvivier, and several writers had a hand in its initial development.

"We had an idea," he says modestly. "We took it to Universal studio executives. They thought it a good one. So we made a deal."

That, in a nutshell, is how Charles Boyer, the film star, became a producer. If that doesn't seem to ring true, consider that Boyer has been a top film attraction for a decade and that he further enjoys the reputation for being an unusually astute citizen, if you walk-about and businessman.

Boyer himself, appears in the picture as a co-star with Robert Benchley, Betty Field, Robert Cummings, Edward G. Robinson and Barbara Stanwyck.

Atlas Will Show "The Rains Came"

Drama, romance, spectacle suspense, desert warfare thrills and exotic-mystic parade across the screen in breath-taking succession in "The Rains Came," which will open on Monday at the Atlas Theatre.

"The Rains Came," Louis Bromfield's best-selling novel of India, is set in the colorful city of Ranchipur. Tyrone Power has one of the outstanding roles of his career as the Indian aurteon, Major Rama Safti. Myrna Loy is superb as the amorous Lady Edwin, and George Brent is splendid as the world-weary Tom Ransome.

The awesome catastrophes which climax the novel—the earthquake, the flood, the plague and the fire—have been reproduced on the screen in spectacular fashion. Indeed, it is doubtful if the cataclysmic breaking of the dam has ever been surpassed.

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"Stormy Weather" Billed for Rio

With enough foot-tapping entertainers to fill three musical pictures and a repertoire of songs that reads like a panorama of American rhythm 20th Century-Fox's smash musical, "Stormy Weather," will open on Monday at the Rio Theatre.

There are 25 spectacular sequences in which the features players, Lena Horne, Cab Calloway and Bobinson all take part.

Stormy Weather tells the story of an entertainer from early childhood, point of view. It starts the history of jazz and boogie-woogie from its earliest inception right up to the present day.

"The Fallen Sparrow" Is Coming to Cadet

Hard-boiled love-making, and just to one but to several women, always seems to mix well with a mixture of adventure, to produce a highly emotional mixture.

You're not likely to see a better teaming of these elements than in The Fallen Sparrow," which opens on Monday at the Cadet Theatre with Maureen O'Hara and John Garfield as co-stars.

The plot starts with the hero, returning to New York City after participation in Spain's civil war, and two years of torture and imprisonment following it. He very badly depended soon his not pulling up that secret in the logic both the secret and his life.

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Atlas—"The Rains Came" starring Tyrone Power and Myrna Loy.

Cadet—Julia Garfield and Maureen O'Hara in "The Fallen Sparrow."

Capitol—"The Desert Song," featuring Dennis Morgan and Irene Manning.

Dominion — Margaret Sullavan and Ann Sothern in "Cry Havoc."

Oak Bay—Jungle Book, starring Sabu.

Plaza—"Flesh and Fantasy," starring Charles Boyer and Barbara Stanwyck.

Rio—Lena Horne and Bill Robinson in "Stormy Weather."

York—"Affectionately Yours," featuring Dennis Morgan and Rita Hayworth.

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Capitol

M.G.M.'s "Cry Havoc" Is At Dominion Theatre

After the infamous Jap attack on the peaceful-by-longevity metropolis of Devendeb 7 (Several MacArthur's stories, overwhelmed by the enemy fought a delaying action in Bataan which will be long remembered in American history. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's gripping drama, "Cry Havoc" tells the story of 13 heroic women who remained on Bataan to help evacuate the wounded.

The story of the film, now playing at the Dominion Theatre, is simple. Thirteen women from all walks of life live and work together until the last stand is fired. Two of them fight a wordless duel for the love of one man with a dramatic disclosure to solves the problem.

Margaret Sullavan, long absent from the screen, turns in her greatest performance since in aspects as Sheilty. The only nurse in the group whose remarkable courage and determination keeps her going is Ann Sothern, as a flippant Irish girl with a chip on her shoulder for Sheilty to knock off forsakes the glamour of Manor for the gory dungeons of the army nurses and finds a great love and true knows treasure. As an ex-burlesque queen, Joan Blondell is confident and glamorous.

PROUD OF BASTOS

BLOEMFONTEIN, South Africa, (CP)—The Bishop of Bloemfontein after a 7,000-mile tour of the Middle East to visit 14,000 Bantus now serving with the Pioneer Corps, had, "I'm proud to be their bishop," in reply to a welcome given by Chief Bastos, who said: "We are proud to have you as our bishop, but we are more proud that you have come to see your children."

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Boy Scout News

Royal Oak — Donald Marshall, Albert Cooper, Chesley Coates and Douglas Day were invested as recruits. Cub ceremonies and artificial respiration was given as well as some aeronautics.

North Quadra — Eddie Salter and Kenneth Holt were invested as recruits. Three new recruits were welcomed to the meeting, Glen Lamont, A Chestnut, Ronald McCormick and Edward Moore. The monthly meeting of the North Quadra parents' committee will be held on Monday at 8 p.m. in the Scout Hall.

Sidney—Trevor Condy was presented with his Pathfinder and King's Scout badges. Arnold Thomlinson received the second class badge. The "A" Pack will hold a farewell party next week. "B" Pack will hold a parents' night. The Rover Crew had a good overnight hike to Mount Newton. The crew will go to Pender Island next week.

District News—We welcome to the district the new Keating group. St John's Church has started a patrol working with Third Victoria (Troop) to get training.

Colquitz—The troop had a hike to the home of Y. E. L. Goddard on Haliburton Road. A camp was made, and five boys passed their tests for cooking and fire lighting.

LONDON (CP)—At the outbreak of war, the indigenous natives of Ocean Island, the Banaancens, with a population of only 750 people, sent a cable saying they were placing £10,000 ($44,000) at the disposal of the Government as a contribution to war funds.

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All Unemployment Insurance Books for the year ending March 31st, 1944, must be exchanged for new books.

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Protect the benefit rights of your employees by sending in their expired books properly completed on March 31st.

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14 May Be Dead In Mine Blast

EMMINGTON, W.Va., March 26 (AP)—Fourteen men who entered the recently-opened Katherine No. 4 coal mine to fight a fire, were believed killed by a terrific blast which shattered part of the workings early today.

Rescue work was at a standstill while workmen restored the damaged ventilating system but company officials and West Virginia Mines Department spokesmen said that "there is very reason to believe" the trapped men were dead.

The Katherine Coal Company issued a casualty list of 14 known to have been inside when the blast occurred.

When the explosion rocked the mine, flames leaped from the mine mouth in such volume that two automobiles parked nearby were set afire.

Stage Comedy Coming To Mainland Theatre

Four noted stars, Clifton Webb, Peggy Wood, Mildred Natwick and Hans Conried, recall the original New York cast of Noel Coward's famous stage comedy "Blithe Spirit," which is coming to the Lyric Theatre, Vancouver, on Monday, April 3, for a week's engagement with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday. The company is now on a 30-week tour following a record-breaking run of 682 performances on Broadway. John C. Wilson is both producer and director.

"Blithe Spirit," praised all the most sagacious and the funniest of all the Coward plays, has exceeded in popularity such previous hits as "Private Lives," "Bitter Sweet," "The Vortex," "Design for Living," "Cavalcade," "Tonight at 8:30," "Hay Fever" and "Easy Virtue." It is now in its third year in London while it scored 87 weeks in New York.

The story revolves around the predicament of a peace-loving novelist, happily married to a second wife, Ruth, who finds his household invaded by the ghost of his first wife, Elvira, called up by means of a seance held by a sandwich-munching medium. Hilarity ensues as the viewers have pronounced it the most irresponsible and humorous of all of Coward's plays.

Clifton Webb and Hans Conried, who are starred in Noel Coward's stage comedy "Blithe Spirit," which is playing a week's engagement, beginning Monday, April 3, at the Lyric Theatre, Vancouver.

To Perform in Play

Bricken Signed

SEATTLE, March 25 (AP)—The Seattle Symphony Association board today announced the signing of Carl Ernest Bricken as permanent conductor here. Bricken, 45, a pianist and composer, comes to Seattle after six years as director of the University of Wisconsin School of Music and seven years as chairman of the University of Chicago Music Department.

He was a 1929 Pulitzer Music Prize winner and conducted the world premiere in English, of Ottorino Respighi's opera "Schwanda" at Chicago in 1930.

Bricken succeeds Sir Thomas Beecham, who resigned after conducting here the past two seasons.

TELEVISION PROPOSED

CAPE TOWN (CP)—The annual report of the South African Broadcasting Corporation states that the corporation must be in a position, as soon after the war as possible, to introduce a television service and to introduce an adequate broadcast service for natives.

Cold Weather on North Atlantic

—R.C.N. Photo.

The men of H.M.C.S. Shawinigan animate their ship picked up about 500 tons of ice in a 17-hour cold snap during heavy weather on the Atlantic. With this enormous topweight, mostly on the forecastle, 100 tons of fuel oil were transferred from port to starboard tanks to correct a still list. Indicating the thoroughness of the attacking elements, the slender wires of the wireless antenna were encased in five inches of crystal-clear ice. Fortunately, no one was in the mast when the foremast broke under the weight of ice.

"Affectionately Yours" Is Showing Monday at York

"Affectionately Yours," starring Merle Oberon, Dennis Morgan and Rita Hayworth, will open on Monday at the York Theatre. A rollicking romantic comedy, it was directed by Lloyd Bacon, from a screen play by Edward Kaufman.

Making the most of a highly unusual triangle situation, "Affectionately Yours" romps merrily along, telling the story of a playboy foreign correspondent who comes home to stop his divorced wife, whom he still loves, from marrying another man. Close at his heels in hot pursuit is his erstwhile girl friend, a resourceful youngster career girl determined to keep him from getting his wife back.

Dennis Morgan is cast as the correspondent. Lovely Merle Oberon is the wife whom he so understandingly misunderstands and Rita Hayworth, who will long be remembered as the "Strawberry Blonde" in person, is the assistant as the pursuing girl. That master of frustration, Ralph Bellamy, plays the wife's suitor.

Army Boxing Coach

STAFF Photographer
SERGT. TOMMY ARTHURS

Well-known former professional boxer and trainer, Sergt. Tommy Arthurs, R.C.A.F., has been appointed to coach the Victoria district air force boxing team. Before joining the Canadian air force he was a member of the professional boxing ranks and since joining the service has been active in boxing and wrestling in the promotion of service boxing shows.

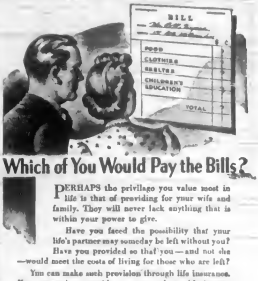
Three-Yolk Egg Found

Mrs. W. Plaiter, of Old Esquimalt Road, has discovered an egg with three yolks. The egg, before opening, measured 6½ x 5½ inches.

Mrs. Plaiter who has never before seen an egg with two yolks, let alone three, expressed her amazement over the phone to The Colonist yesterday morning.

"I found the egg last week," she said "and thought it an unusually large size but put it aside. Then, when I was making a lemon pie, I cracked the egg to use in the pie and there I saw to my astonishment, three yolks."

The Plaiters have 18 chickens of different breeds, and are sorry to say they don't know which one laid the "triplet" egg.



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ALL-INDIAN PATROL

NEW DELHI (CP)—The patrol of the North-West Frontier is now entirely in the hands of the Indian Air Force, all of the officers and men of which are Indians, except a few technical non-commissioned officers.

SMELT DISAPPEARING

The smelt, a fish common in Lake Michigan, disappeared overnight from those waters in the Winter of 1943.

Monday Radio Programmes

CJVI—1100 kc.	CJOR—1130 kc.	KIRO—710 kc.	KOMO—950 kc.	KJR—1000 kc.	KTIL—1300 kc.
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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Ship Transformed By Masses of Ice

AN ATLANTIC PORT.—Lifting under the accumulation of 800 tons of ice, her foremast broken off, the corvette H.M.C.S. Shawinigan rounded this port safely after a 17-hour battle with heavy seas and a vicious Winter gale.

Proceeding from A to B somewhere in the Atlantic, Shawinigan was entering cold but routine weather until the middle of a Saturday afternoon. Then an increasing wind whirled through the rigging, green seas began to crash over the bow, and smash up against the bridge. The corvette pitched, and rolled under the hammering.

The commanding officer, Lieut. R. S. Williams, R.C.N.V.R., of Toronto, was on the bridge when the first glistening signs of ice began forming on the port side of guard rails, stanchions, anchor chains, gun shield, foremast and signal halyards. He watched the accumulation grow for the rest of the day and throughout the night until familiar things were transformed into grotesque, alien-world shapes by masses of ice.

The heavily crusted foremast broke, bringing down with it the shields' work of the wireless antennas, with five inches of ice on them, spattering and crystal-clear.

GAVE SHIP
STIFF LIST

The tremendous top-weight of ice gave the ship a stiff list to port, shifting of 100 tons of fuel oil from port to starboard tanks only partially righted her.

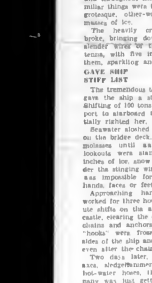
Seamen' alerted back and forth on the bridge deck, clutching like molasses until watchkeepers and lookouts were standing in eight inches of ice, snow and slush. Under the stinging wind and spray it was impossible for men to keep hands, faces or feet warm.

Approaching harbor the crew worked for three hours, in ten-minute shifts on the wind-swept forecastle, clearing the capstan, anchor chains and anchors. The one-ton "hooks" were frozen fast to the sides of the ship and did not budge even after the chains were cleared.

Two days later, working with axes, sledgehammers, shovels and hot-water hoses, the ship's company was just getting rid of the last ice and snow.

Ship Broke in Two

AN EASTERN CANADIAN PORT, March 25 (CP).—Two ocean salvage tugs of Foundation Maritime, Limited have towed in the stern half of a large United Nations freighter which recently broke in two in a North Atlantic gale. Her crew was rescued by vessels of the Royal Canadian Navy.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Harbor Wanted for Deep-Sea Shipping

GRAPHICALLY illustrating the difficulty of loading a freighter at Cadiz, Point wharves from a snow under certain weather conditions, the above picture would indicate that ocean harbor facilities are not what they should be. A brisk southeast wind was blowing, making a 90% of a sea, and while wind and water had little effect on the deep-laden vessel, the little tug had a busy time nursing the bow and keeping it in position while the last of the ship's lumber cargo was taken aboard. Completion of the west breakwater, left when the east wall and wharves were finished, would prevent occurrences of a similar nature from happening, shipping men say, and should go a long way toward guaranteeing ships from damage and long-delay workers from injury, serious and otherwise.

Well-Known Flyer Reported Missing

LONDON, March 25 (CP).—Group Capt. Larry Way, of Ottawa, commander of an R.C.A.F. air base in Britain, is reported missing in a recent raid on Germany, it was announced today.

Although station commanders normally do not fly on operations, Way obtained permission to make the trip as second pilot in a bomber which did not return.

Way commanded an airfield in the English Midlands where the Thunderbolt Peregrine squadrons of the R.C.A.F. Bomber Group were based. He has flown about 2,000 hours in almost every type of aircraft.

Born in Toronto and educated at Belleville, Ont., and Royal Military College, Kingston, Way came to British from Canada's Eastern Air Command where he was senior air staff officer and formerly commanding officer at Quebec, Que.

He has been in the R.C.A.F. since 1920, and spent three years doing photographic survey and mapping work in the north. He commanded the first Canadian Torpedo Bomber Squadron, based on Vancouver, and opened the R.C.A.F. station on the Queen Charlotte Islands. He is a former director of operations for Canada.

His wife is the former Audrey Garland, of Winnipeg, well-known figure skater.

R. C. Sea Cadets

Orders for the week ending March 31, by Lieut.-Comdr. P. W. Tyler, commanding officer R.C.S.C. Rainbow:

Tuesday, March 28 the entire ship's company will parade at 19.26 duty hands at 19.00 Duty C.P.O. B. Brain, duty P.O. B. Cleevi, quartermaster B. Baker, pipers, J. Nicholson, McCleary, O. Kidd, W. Bastin, T. Steven, L. Sheridan, A. Reed, B. Harris; messenger, G. Field; bugler, R. Bentley; signalman B. Bean; duty L.S. F. Taylor; duty hands, B. Pat Underwood, D. Roberts, D. Higgs, S. MacDonald and G. Cova.

Friday, March 31, the entire ship's company will parade at headquarters at 19.26, duty hands at 19.00 Duty C.P.O. R. Brain, duty P.O. B. Cleevi; quartermaster, B. Baker; sentries, J. Nicholson, D. Kidd, B. McCleary, T. Steven, W. Bastin, L. Sheridan, A. Boyd, R. Harris; messenger, G. Field; bugler, B. Bentley; signalman, B. Bean; duty L.S. F. Taylor; duty hands, B. Hunt, J. Hardley, J. Lawler, G. Brown, D. Hustall, O. James.

J. McALLISTER,
Executive Officer.
R.C.S.C. Rainbow, I.

Rainbow II, Victoria High School — Orders by Lieut. N. Harwood for week ending April—3. Tuesday, March 28, the ship's company will parade at the High School at 14.30 Duty divisions. Sentries—officer of the watch, Sub-Lieut. N. Swainson; duty P.O., P.O. Woodside; quartermaster, O.S. Wilson; duty hands, O.S. Martin, O.S. Longbury; dress uniform. Thursday as Tuesday, but negative Uniforms. Friday, April 31, the ship's company will parade at the High School at 19.15. Duty hands at 19.00. Training as per syllabus.

To Build Drydock

WARRINGTON, March 23 (CP).—The United States Maritime Commission announced today it would award to the Kaiser Company, Inc., Vancouver, Wash., a contract for construction of a 14,000-ton floating drydock to be turned over to the navy. The facilities needed in building the drydock will cost $2,279,000 alone.

Aviation Talks Near

WASHINGTON, March 25 (U.P.).—Some kind of international aviation authority is practically assured, in the opinion of diplomats here and abroad, if its scope will be one of the hopes of forthcoming postwar civilian aviation talks between the State Department and British officials. Although no date has been set, the talks are near. They are to open a series of bi-lateral conversations which, it is hoped, will lead to a United Nations air conference before the year is over.

That Body of Yours

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

MORE ABOUT DIVERTICULITIS —POUCHES IN LOWER BOWEL

There are so many individuals with pain in left lower side of abdomen that some have called it left-sided appendicitis. However, X-ray examination by means of a barium enema has shown that the cause in many cases is diverticulitis—pouches or pockets in the left side of the last lower part of the large intestine just above the rectum (last six inches of lower bowel).

I described the symptoms of diverticulitis some months ago as attacks of pain that come and go, sometimes with diarrhoea and at other times with constipation. In time a solid mass of waste matter accumulates which may block the bowel. Bed, rest, a liquid diet, and an ice bag on abdomen usually bring relief. No cathartics or enemas should be given during an acute attack.

Dr. E. J. Kilroy, in California and Western Medicine, states that from 5 to 15 per cent of the general population after the age of 40 have diverticulitis, but in only 5 to 10 per cent of these cases do complications arise and in only about 15 per cent of these with complications is surgical operation necessary.

What causes diverticulitis, that is, an inflammation of these pouches or pockets? They are caused by such conditions as overweight, constipation, excess gas formation in bowel and weakness of the muscular wall of the intestine which helps to drive wastes down ward and out of the bowel.

Once these pouches have been discovered, treatment consists of a smooth diet rich in food value such as meats, eggs and butter, and the use of mineral oil. The enemas consist of liquid petrolatum (mineral or paraffin oil). In some cases the mineral oil, taken by mouth, is effective in relieving symptoms and preventing attacks.

Next week: Diet and enemas of mineral oil—are hes effective and there is severe pain, great increase of temperature, all fluids—as the blood, tenderness and rigidity in abdomen (as in appendicitis on right side of abdomen), immediate surgical operation is the treatment. When there is only one pouch or pocket it can be cut out, but where there are several, removal of a part of the bowel may be necessary.

The facts, then, are that diverticulitis occurs in about 14 per cent of those past 40, but only about one or two in every 20 who have diverticulitis have any symptoms.

Navy Gunners Not to Blame

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 25 (AP).—A wounded Memphis sailor disclosed today he was one of the navy gunners who shot down 23 United States transport planes last July at Gela, Sicily, and he declared: "No one can blame the navy gunners for we were just a watch tick from death that night."

The sailor, Gordon B. Manley, boatswain's mate second class, later was wounded at Salerno and now is in a Memphis hospital. He described the incident in a letter to Press-Scimitar Columnist Fido Roark.

He told of the United States ships undergoing "a terrific pounding" and there was a solid blanket of smoke over most of the part of the coast.

"Bombs were dropping like hail," he said.

"Right in the middle of all this, planes came over, the first we knew they were there," he continued, in describing how the transports were hit.

He talked to some of the transport pilots later and they said they had thought the smoke was a large cloud bank.

"Most of them went around 8 or 9 also talked with quite a few of the paratroops that went over that night, but, fellow, I sure can't write here what they said about it. In fact, I did not let them know I was in the navy. They did not blame the navy; they blamed the ones that sent them over us."

Meeting on Monday

National Association of Marine Engineers of Canada, Inc., Council No. 8, will meet in Room 803, Union Building, March 27, at 8 p.m.

MOTH PROFILIC

The flying adult moth lives only a few weeks, but during that time lays from 100 to 300 tiny soft white eggs.

Recruiting Now In Full Swing

OTTAWA, March 25 (CP).—The Royal Canadian Navy announced today that recruiting restricted for a time to specialized categories, now is in full swing again with trained and untrained men required in many categories.

The announcement said many applications, except for the seaman branch and also many with mechanical experience for duties in engine rooms. Other categories open include signalmen, cooks, stewards, patrollers from Victoria women specialist branches

Minimum age requirement is 18 years, or 17½ with consent of parents or guardian. Applicants up to 50 years still be considered and their services utilized where or affair, depending on qualifications and physical fitness.

R.C.N.V.R. recruiting centres are situated in Port Arthur, Winnipeg, Regina, Saskatoon, Edmonton, Calgary, Vancouver and Victoria.

Applicants from points where there is no recruiting centre may contact recruiting officers by long-distances telephone by asking the operator for the nearest naval recruiting centre. In the case of bona-fide applicants, charges may be reversed.

Malahat Battered

Battered by heavy seas off Cape Beale recently, the barge Malahat, a115 h load of logs aboard, is in Green Cove, Barkley Sound, where the area towed by the tug Commodore. The Malahat is owned by Gibson Brothers, of Vancouver, and was towed to Victoria during the storm. Victoria when the storm directed the barge and its tug from Victoria. Repairs are already underway, pumping and salvage equipment having been forwarded through Port Alberni by the owners of the Comox-Atlas Towing & Salvage Co. Ltd.

MAIL AND SHIPS

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VICTORIA-VANCOUVER.—Be Princess Elizabeth at Victoria daily from Seattle at 7.30 a.m. Be Princess Charlotte at Victoria daily at 8.30 a.m. From Vancouver Be Princess Elizabeth at 23.59 p.m. Be Princess Charlotte at 23.59 p.m. Be Princess Elizabeth at Be Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily from Vancouver Sundays only a special sailing at 8.30 a.m. Be Princess Joan at Victoria at 8.30 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE.—Be Princess Charlotte at Victoria daily from Seattle at 7.30 a.m. Be Princess Elizabeth at Victoria daily from Seattle at 8.30 a.m. Be Princess Charlotte at Be Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily from Seattle at 12.15 p.m. Be Princess Elizabeth Victoria daily from Seattle at 8.30 a.m. Be Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily from Seattle at 8.30 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES.—Be Princess Elizabeth at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 12.15 p.m. Be Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 12.15 p.m.

SEWARTZ BAY-BALLY SEWING ISLAND.—Mv Cy Peck will leave Sewartz Bay for Pulford Harbor daily except Wednesday at 8.15 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. Mv Cy Peck will leave Pulford Harbor for Sewartz Bay daily except Wednesday at 8.15 a.m. and 4.30 p.m.

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Almost Within Reach

MONTREAL, March 25 (CP).—The goal of lasting air supremacy seems to be "almost within our reach," Air Minister Power said here today.

In a speech prepared for delivery to the Reform Club, Maj. Power said the part we play in the Allied air attack "is complete, final, conclusive and lasting air supremacy in every theatre of war . . . This seemingly unattainable goal seems now to be almost within our reach."

Earnings Increase

MONTREAL, March 20.—An increase of over $400,000 in net earnings for the month of February, and an increase of nearly one million dollars in the net earnings for the first two months of 1944, in comparison with the similar periods of 1943, are shown in the monthly statement of operating revenues, operating expenses and net revenue of the Canadian National Railways, all inclusive system issued today at headquarters.

Operating revenues for the month of February, 1944, amounted to $37,874,000, an increase of $3,-942,000 over revenues for February, 1943. Net revenue of $3,549,000 for February last is an increase of $627,000 over that of February, 1943.

Made Fleet History

LONDON, March 25 (CP).—Able Seaman Malcolm White made fleet history by attacking the guns of H.M.S. York, flagship of the Home Fleet.

The ship was in ballytine preparing for a practice shoot with "its guns ready to fire when White was stricken with appendicitis.

The surgeon, Lieut.-Cmdr. William Wilson, realized that an operation was necessary and that the ward could not operate with the guns blazing.

Admiral Sir Bruce Fraser ordered to abandon the target practice. While is recovering

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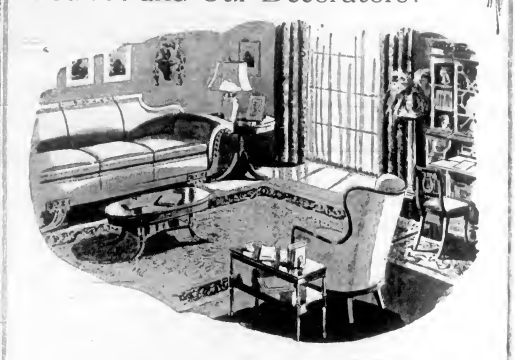

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Glancing Over Sport—

By JOE DELABUNTY

FLYERS TAKE TWO-GAME LEAD IN B.C. CAGE FINALS

THE DAY'S ROUNDUP

B.C.A.F. Gremlins, New Westminster Lodestars and the Montreal Canadiens kept on basketballing and stealing laurels further honors in this Dominion last night as a result of the games played last night on the Coast—the Prairies and in the East. . . . The Pat Bay cagers captured their second straight title in the Vancouver Combines by three field goals, while the Coast hockeyists keep going away without a great deal of trouble to move closer to the Western Canada final, and the Pybus Freighters chipped up the Maple Leafs in the Queen City after a bruising, hard-checking battle from whistle to whistle. The Stanley Cup game was anybody's from the start. It being 1-1 as the clubs went into the final 20 minutes and then the "breaks" settled it and the Canadiens got them. During the last 28 seconds the Leafs yanked their goaltender in an effort to deadlock the score and it wasn't for lack of trying, that they didn't, for they swarmed around the Montreal net like a flock of bees looking for honey. . . . Tonight the Chicago and Detroit teams go to bat in the third of their series. Young truly has already proved the Windy City could to win the title, so I can't back water at all this night in the game . . . Victoria High won the Canadian football final yesterday at Macdonald Park by whitewashing St. Louis College and therefore earned the right to clash with Kitsilano High in the provincial final next Saturday on the Mainland. Congrats boys from this department and the best of luck from now on. . . . A surprise on the local sports front was the drawn cup-tie match between V.M.D. and R.A.F. second eleven. Up and play off for the city championship, so the football officials say, but J. D. thinks that little drifted from the town earlier this year, if you know what I am getting at.

MORE ABOUT THE DERBY

Pilks in Maryland insist you just mustn't ignore Royal Prince when trying to decide who will turn up the winner of the 70th Kentucky Derby next May 6 "If it comes to a head on Derby Day," they insist, "and Royal Prince is a fit horse, and a starter, it won't be alone. This is a super-duper on a soft track."

The classic of Royal Prince's Dauber, which finished second to Lawrin in the 1938 Derby. Given another 100 yards to go, Dauber might have taken home first money. He was the double for the Derby, three-quarters, had troubles on the turn for home, and was pinched wide as Lawrin skimmed the rail and put himself into a three-length lead. Dauber was about five lengths in back of Lawrin, when he finally was straightened for the final charge and had gained with every jump. But Lawrin's real advantage was his great, the remaining distance too short, and Lawrin won by a length with Dauber five lengths in front of the third place Can't Wait.

Royal Prince raced 15 times as a two-year-old in 1943. He won five times, was second to Lawrin, and third three times, earning $28,000. He ran against the best all year, and in the time, was second to Wait Awhile, who was second to Platter. Royal Prince a well built chestnut, is owned by Mrs H J. Mohr, and is trained by George Mohr, who is gifted in the art of grifting a horse fit, and keeping it fit, So, Mr. and Mrs. Racing Fan, Royal Prince may be a pipe in the starting line-up and the track is a little tricky for he won't run if he has "that" oil to any horse on the field once that gate is sprung. He may not even like it, but if he does keep a close eye on him, that is, if conditions suit him.

ODDS AND ENDS

Remember when Rookie Reigh "Pep" Kelly snipped both goals in Toronto's 2-1 overtime win over the Boston Bruins, giving the Queen City club the National Hockey League honors? That is just nine years ago this week. With the Bruins leading 1-0, and less than three minutes to go Kelly evened the count. His second tally came shortly after the overtime session commenced. Also remember when Rosie Rockne, Notre Dame football strategist, was killed when the California-bound plane in which he was riding crashed at Bazaar, Kansas. That is just 13 years ago this week, but still it doesn't seem that long that we used to listen to those late-hour games in which Rockne was coaching the "Fighting Irish" to victory after victory on the gridiron. Knutson-Bruins-room reserves to Norris Dame's team during his 14-year term at the classes of American football. He inspired his charges to roll up 171 wins, and 13 losers, and six draws while in charge . . . Let's have another remember when . . . Not 20 years ago the first of next month Lester Patrick's Rangers defeated the Montreal Canadiens and Seattle was called off owing to an influenza epidemic in the Canadiens' camp. With the deciding game to be played at Seattle next five of the Flying Frenchmen were taken ill and rushed to the hospital. The great defenseman, Joe Hall, died within a few days as a result of the disease.

Local soccer officials are trying to devise for a new rule to be towed into the books in the near future for a revision of the penalty law. They have been in conference with Vancouver and are in favor of having pigskin sent to the sidelines for minor infractions for five or ten minutes rest, and if a little serious a week or two suspensions. On the other hand, if the case is really one for the devil with, they are all in favor of a more severe penalty handed out. In other words, hand out penalties like they do in hockey and increase and give the boys a chance to cool off before coming to a hurry. A good idea in my book.

Lodestars Win Second Fixture

New Westminster Beats Flin Flon Team In Second of Series by Two Markers

SASKATOON, March 26 (CP)—New Westminster Lodestars moved within one game of a berth in the Western Canada senior hockey finals when they defeated Flin Flon Bombers, Saskatchewan champions, 3-2, here tonight in the second game of a best-of-five series. The British Columbia champions won the first game Thursday night, 7-3. The third game will be played here Monday.

Lodestars gained a 2-1 lead in the third period tonight, added another counter in the second while holding their opponents scoreless, then held Bombers to two counters while scoring one themselves in the third period. The losers were at their best in the last session.

Baxter Brayshaw, Harvey Fraser, Jimmy Wilson, Maurice Duffy and Pete Lewicki, all Kitsilano graduates, were responsible for the winners goals. Walt Cunningham, George Hohenek and Bob Wirsz tallied for the losers.

LINE-UPS

New Westminster—Young, Bentley, Warshawski, Fraser, Brayshaw, Lewicki, Wilson, McIntyre, Dotzas, King, Duffy, Wilson, Downey.

Flin Flon—Cunningham, Skinner, Cunningham, Wirsz, Couture, Hohenek, Lowrie, Bowman, Myles, Cairns, Richie, Hansen, Irwin.

Referee—Jimmy Arnott, Winnipeg. Linesman — Herb Wilson, Saskatoon.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, New Westminster, Brayshaw, 7.15; 2, New Westminster, Fraser (Brayshaw), 14.38; 3, Flin Flon, Cunningham (Myles), 17.50.

Second Period—4, New Westminster, Wilson (Brayshaw), 18.40. Penalties Brayshaw (3), Couture.

Second Period—5, New Westminster, Duffy (Lewicki), 17.25. Penalties Bentley (2), Brayshaw, Couture, Myles, Bowman, Duffy, Skinner (2).

Third Period—6, Flin Flon, Hohenek (Skinner), 8.43. 7, New Westminster, Lewicki, 8.12. Flin Flon penalties rest, and if a little serious a week or two suspensions. On the other hand, if the case is really one for the devil with, they are all in favor of a more severe penalty handed out. In other words, hand out penalties like they do in hockey and increase and give the boys a chance to cool off before coming to a hurry. A good idea in my book.

Two Changes in The Cage Rules

NEW YORK, March 24 (CP)—The National Association of College Basketball Coaches agreed today that two changes should be made in the rules at their annual meeting here. The first provides for personal fouls and the second for a jump ball after simultaneous fouls.

Under the first proposal will be permitted to the national rules committee Monday. The coaches voted by a big majority to increase the personal fouls after it had been pointed out by several that the game with the abolishment of the centre jump and several minutes of playing time had been added to each game but the number of fouls remained the same.

Believe It or Not! by RIPLEY

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British Columbia Intermediate Rugby Champs

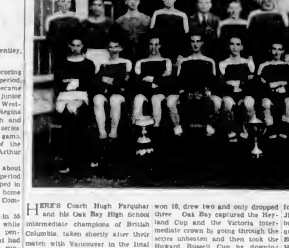

Photo by Gibbons

HERE'S Coach Hugh Farquhar with the 1944 Vic Cub Bay High School intermediate champions of British Columbia, taken shortly after their match with Nanoose in the final for the honors. . . . Back in the early days of the season the squad played 18 games, won 16, drew two and only dropped three . . . Coach Hugh Farquhar, Jim Kingham, Bob Perry, Jim Milburn, Bill Taylor, Coach Hugh Farquhar, Gilbert Smith, Bob Harvey, Bill Kanagas, Russ Laidlaw and Kenny Burn, front row, left to right, Mickey Cowell, Tony Beck, Ken Travis, Cliff Denham (captain), Scott Kerr, Wally Wells, Jack Smith and Dave Mackenzie. . . .

Vic High Gridmen Champions

Black College In Local Final

By OOLDIE

Talking advantage of a tea break, Coach George Mackenzie's Victoria High School won the Victoria Interscholastic basketball championship by defeating Brother Bellya's St. Louis College, 37-29, in a rugged fourth game played at Macdonald Park yesterday afternoon. Despite the fact that they had the floor to field these young gridders put a stonking exhibition for the forty-odd in attendance. Both clubs showed plenty of fancy work in scoring and their display was well worth the price of admission any time.

By virtue of their triumph the High School lads will now journey to the Island next Saturday where they meet the Kitchener High School, winners of the Vancouver title for the British Columbia championship.

Scholastic championship, in a two-game total point series, the second game will be played here on April 8. The winners needed the scoring title in the two games to take the championship. From behind the Bi Lois goal, Jack Hall interrupted Booth carried the ball and Stoat, on an 18-yards play, went over for a touchdown. The convert failed.

Big feature of the second quarter was Vic's defensive play. The Vic yard gain by Kirnosk, of the locals', on a fourth try play. But a strong line by Harknerd and Smith held them from advancing further.

Doing was the third quarter club, bing a five-point lead Victoria High increased their margin to 8-0 on a kick to the deadline on an assumpted placement and O'Connell, attempting to break out from behind his own goal-line, fumbled and a Vic player fell on the ball.

Soon after the final quarter got under way Stoat scored a more on an off tackle to Lois' left. Kick on the convert this made the final score Lois Right after this the Cubs lost their off the air and near the end Rimoski looked like he had a chance to bring the hours at the footing when he brought the ball on the High School's 15-yard line, but tumbled, and the latter kicked out of danger.

At the end lineup of the game, Pete Prudence Jack Sabo presented the V.M.D.A. Trophy, emblem for annual inter-athletic competition, to Captain Lee Scott, of the victorious Victoria High School sons to them for the second year in succession.

LINE-UPS

St. Louis College—End, O'Connell, O'Brien, Griffin, McDougall, Monaghan, middles, Clarkson, K. Kinsinger, Joyce, Robinson; guards, Carlisle Mounsey quarter-back, Ryan.

Victoria High School—End, Dack, Hall, Kirnosk, Harknerd, Smith; middles, Oliver, Turner, Thorburn, Goodall, Woodward, Holland, Butler, McCorkindale; quarter-back, Yardley; snapper, Duncan; guards, Hitchcock, Kilgobnet, McMillan, Taylor, Richards, McKeller, Scott, Booth.

Referee, Alf Worthington. Judge of play, Don Douglas; head linesman, Wally Smith.

VANCOUVER, March 25 (CP)—Kitsilano High School won the senior Canadian Inter-high school football championship here today by whitewashing King Edward, 16-0. Kitsilano now will meet the winner of the Victoria series here Saturday to decide the British Columbia championship.

Kitsilano Holds Peter Thomas and Pete Rollos, early managed touchdowns for Kits and Holden converted once. Jack Armour got King Edward's touchdown and Roy Girling converted.

Getliffe's Goal Decides Fixture

Fires Home Winning Marker in Victory For Canadiens Over the Toronto Leafs

TORONTO, March 25 (CP)—The Montreal Canadiens took a 2-1 edge over the Toronto Maple Leafs in their best four-of-seven semi-final Stanley Cup hockey play-offs by beating the Leafs, 2 to 1, here tonight. Ray Getliffe scored the winning goal in the third period to shatter a 1-1 tie.

Hardware scored the first goal of the game for Canadiens about half way through the first period. The Leafs tied it up in the second on a goal by Boothman, with Kennedy and Pratt getting the assists.

A crowd of 14,500 Toronto fans turned out to see the game

Line-ups

Montreal		Toronto
Durnan	G	Broda
Lamoureux	R.D.	Pratt
Bouchard	L.D.	Morris
Lach	C	Bodnar
Richard	R.W.	Carr
Mosdell	L.W.	Cardwell

Referee — Bill Chadwick, New York. Linesmen — Cy Wentworth and Steve Meurin, Chicago.

Montreal scores: McMahon, Harmon, O'Connor, Getliffe, Chamberlain, Watson, Heffernan.

Toronto scores: B. Hamilton, McLean, O'Neill, J. Hamilton, Kennedy, Boothman, Wetzler.

First period—1, Montreal, Harmon, 4.32. Penalties—B. Hamilton, Watson (2), Lamoureux, Kennedy, J. McLean Pratt, Heffernan.

Second period—2, Toronto, Boothman (Kennedy, Pratt) 8.06. Penalties—Bodnar, Harmon, Bouchard, Webster, Getliffe.

Third period—3, Hamilton, Getliffe (Watson, Chamberlain) 8.43. Penalties—Harmon, O'Neill.

Weatherly Is In the Army

NEW YORK, March 24 (CP)—Bert Weatherly, is the latest New York Yankee definitely to join the army and has been ordered to report to an induction center April 1.

To add to McCarthy's woes Jack Phillips, a combination outfielder-infielder, announced he would leave today to meet his draft board at East Aurora N.Y. April 1.

News of three camps . . .

Williamford, Conn. . . . Bobby Whitey Wietelmann of the Boston Braves threw his right elbow out of joint yesterday in batting practice.

French Lick, Ind.—Thing . . . are looking up today for Manager Jimmie Wilson of the Cubs, who was informed outfielders Bill Nicholson and Andy Pafko would drift into camp this week-end. Both have been holdouts.

Lafayette, Ind.—Manager Lou Boudreau has changed his mind about converting Hurler Steve Gromek into an outfielder. . . . Infielder Jimmy Grant into a flychaser after seeing them perform in workouts.

Evansville, Ind.—Roger Cramer, veteran outfielder, and Jim Ace Adams—a regarded newcomer—fit-ting during a 100 per cent injury boost.

ICE HOCKEY TRAGEDY

SHOAL LAKE, Man., March 24 (CP)—Leslie Mendaluk, 16 of Shoal Lake, died here yesterday as a result of injuries received when he pinned the rear by a puck while playing hockey. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Mendaluk, of Shoal Lake.

Move Closer to B.C. Hoop Crown

Andrews, Baker and Pay Top Scorers In Victory Over Vancouver Club, 49-43

VANCOUVER, March 25 (CP)—Patricia Bay Gremlins won a 49-43 decision over Vancouver Combines in the second game of the inter-city hoop finals here tonight. The Dominion basketball championships followed Combines, 48-26 in the first of the best-of-three series played here last night. Gremlins will play host to the Bunger men when they come into the third game in Victoria next Saturday.

Poor shooting and a rushed pass-ing finished Combines in tonight's game. They missed their long-shot man, Mike Rowell. However Rounik proved to be back in fine fighting next week.

Gremlins took a 20-8 lead in the first quarter but lost some ground in the next period. However, the home team wound a-way in the final quarter and managed to close the gap to within two points.

Jack Pondrel, University of Washington basketball and swimming star, was one of Combines' ta, but didn't get a chance to play in the game.

Gremlins' top men, "Pecky" Andrews and Norm Baker, each scored an even dozen. Ralph Pay came next with ten. George McConnell managed 10 for Combines and Earl Mc-Donagh, 11

BOX SCORE

Pat Bay	FG	FS	PF	Pts
Andrews	4	4	1	12
Baker	6	0	3	12
Edmundsen	1	0	2	2
Lee	2	0	0	4
McKechnie	1	0	0	2
Pay	3	0	1	10
Phelan	2	0	0	4
Stout	2	0	0	4
Total				48

Combines	FG	FS	PF	Pts
Anderson	3	3	3	9
McConnell	4	2	3	10
Freeman	1	0	2	2
Mackie	1	0	2	2
Scott	0	0	0	0
McDonagh	5	1	0	11
Draham	1	0	0	2
Pomfret	0	0	0	0
Total				43

World's Record Made by Ford

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 26 (AP)—For the second time in a week, Alan Ford, Yale's great swimmer, raced the 100-yard free style in world's record time of 49.7 tonight in the Intercollegiate National Collegiate A.A.U. title indoor championship meet 1926.

Ford, the Balboa bullet, won his specialty by nearly six yards, with Merv Church, of Indiana, providing what opposition there was. The Elie ace was off with the gun, yoked up a yard at the 25-yard turn, doubled it at the halfway mark and highpressured the final lap.

By winning the relatory, 50-yard free style and 150-yard backstroke—the latter two last night—Yale's phenom equaled the "triple" scored by Jack Medica, of the University of Washington, in 1936 and by Al Schwartz, of Portsmouth, in 1930.

Earlier today, Ford breezed in the victor in the 100-yard free style trials in 51.2, which was a new N.C.A.A. standard but applies compared with tonight's spectacular feat.

Cup Match Is 2-2 Tie

Shipyarders and Flyers in Draw

Victoria Machinery Depot and the Royal Air Force second division team battled to a 2-2 overtime tie in the final round of the Jackson Cup soccer series yesterday afternoon at the Athletic Park. The match will be replayed next Saturday afternoon at the same time and at the same park at 2.30. The Flyers from the Old Country had notch the latter of the match in the first 20 minutes and then ended up unable to win ball a dozen games but just couldn't take advantage of them.

R.A.F. led at the end of the first half, 2-0, but back came the shipyarders. In the final it is to decide the count. In the opening period the airmen had the ball bombed them and in the final canto it was a new N.C.A.A. standard but applies compared with tonight's spectacular feat.

Neither Team failed to break the deadlock in the half-hour of extra play, but at the same time came close.

In the Lower Island juvenile championship final Moncrief Chapel and Lewis' Victoria City boys blanked the Combines, 4-0, in the preliminary at the Caledonia Arena over the week-end, Saturday and Sunday. Wells and Boyd did the scoring for the Chapel boys, while Lewis' Victoria City boys were the victors in the game. Wells and Boyd did the scoring for the Chapel boys, while Lewis' Victoria City boys were the victors in the game.

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Morton Cooper Signs Contract

ST. LOUIS, March 24 (AP)—Mort Cooper, leading pitcher of St. Louis Cardinals' world series champions last season, today signed a one-year contract and will draw the Redbirds' training camp at Cairo, Ill., tomorrow.

Neither Cooper nor President Sam Breadon would say how much Cooper was asking. $17,500 about $2,000 over his reported salary in 1943 when he won 21 and lost eight games for the National League champions. He won the Cardinals' only game in the world series with New York Yankees.

Strong-Arm Stuff on Court

In a Tangle of Arms Paul Reshi-nid, of Brooklyn College, Struggles to Get Free With the Ball During a Game in New York. St. John's Affords the Opposition.

Wins Cage Honors

DENVER, March 25 (AP)—Phillips '66' of Bartlesville, Okla., won its second consecutive National A.A.U. basketball title tonight with a hard-fought 50-to-43 victory over Denver Amateurs.

KANSAS CITY, March 25 (AP)—Utah University defeated Iowa State, co-champions of the Big Six conference, 46-31, in the finals of the annual National Collegiate Athletic Association's Western basketball play-offs tonight.

ANGLERS WILL MEET

The annual meeting of the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association will be held next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the Garland Hall Broad Street. Election of officers will take place and plans for the coming season will be made. Invitial reports will also be tendered by the retiring officials. The meeting will be held at 8 o'clock

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Only Canadian winner in the Southern Area British Army boxing meet was Gnr. D. Marsh, of Vardun, Que., in the middleweight bout. From the Canadian Army individual boxing Championships, the Canadian Army entered a contestant in each weight class. Gnr. Marsh, after battling his way to the top of the Canadian contests, boxed magnificently to outclass Gnr Smith, of the British Army Southern Area team. Marsh is shown, right, after delivering an effective blow.

Victorians Win Titles

Capture Boxing Honors in North

PRINCE GEORGE, B.C., March 25 (CP)—A troupe of boxers from Victoria Area shared honors with Prince George in the Pacific Command boxing championship finals reading the three-day tourney.

Prince George-Terrace tied with Victoria for area honors with 11 points. Vancouver tallied seven points for second place, Vernon five points for third and Prince Rupert and Nanaimo sharing bottom berths with three points apiece.

The committee of judges ruled a Prince George sniffing Private H. Weber of the infantry, the gamest loser, and a colored lad'ier, Gunner Hiram Berry, of Victoria, the most popular winner.

Victoria took six titles, Vancouver four, Prince George-Terrace three, Vernon two and Prince Rupert one.

Major-General H. N. Ganong, officer commanding the Sixth Canadian Division, gave the trophy to Victoria as "we took their hockey trophy away from them, too."

The victorious team from Victoria will take the cup to the Capital City to be held there while they prepare for semi-finals of Western Canada championships in Calgary.

Winners at Calgary will meet titleholders of the Manitoba-Saskatchewan semi-finals for the all-Western titles.

In the novice middleweight final Private W. N. Dynan, of Prince Rupert, knocked out Private J. Chiancone, of Nanaimo, in the second round.

Gunner M. Romyk of Vancouver, won a decision over Private W. Moran, of Prince George, in the novice light-heavyweight final.

In the novice lightweight final Sergeant A. B. "Red" Napper, of Prince George, won an easy victory over Private P. Bel, of Nanaimo.

In the first open final Gunner Hiram Berry, of Victoria, won the middleweight crown by knocking out Private R. Pruhman, of Prince George. A straight left sent Pruhman to the floor after one minute and 25 seconds of the second round.

In the open welterweight final Private M. Desilvestres, of Vancouver, known pugilistically as Sammy Burns, lost a close decision to Private A. Dimitri, of Victoria.

Signalman H. Swanson, of Prince George, won the open heavyweight crown by an aggressive display against Private W. Talbot, from Victoria. The colored fighter from the island failed in his attempt to outbox the Northern slugger.

Signalman R. W. Gilbey of Victoria, outpointed Private W. Cella, of Prince George-Terrace, in the open light-heavyweight final.

Everyone in Monteith of Victoria, won the open lightweight title, and Chinney W. Bamrouk, of Vancouver, the novice lightweight crown, both by default.

Victoria's Gunner R. M. Parker decisioned Lance-Corporal N. Turnbull, of Prince Rupert, in the open bantamweight final.

Sergeant R. Coulson of Vancouver was much the best in the open featherweight final against Private H. Weber of Prince George. A neat display by the Northern soldier failed to impress the judges who floored Weber twice.

In the open lightweight final Rifleman R. Wallbe, of Victoria, won a decision over Rifleman N. Dolaume, of Nanaimo.

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Big Crowds See Cup-Tie Battles

Quarter-Finalists Named as Matches Are Run Off in Old Country Soccer

LONDON, March 25 (CP)—The greatest crowds of the English soccer season today thrilled to scenes of the best play seen in wartime as eight teams emerged as quarter-finalists for the League North Cup and the League South decided cup semi-finalists.

The North League quarter-final draw after today's second round matches pitted Aston Villa against Bath, Manchester City against Birmingham, Blackpool against Bradford and Sheffield United against Newcastle.

The first game of the home-and-home total-goal series will be played April 1, with the return matches the following Saturday.

Chelsea will meet Reading and Tottenham will clash with Charlton in the South's sudden-death semi-finals next Saturday.

The day's biggest gathering, 41,693 persons, jammed into the stadium at Liverpool to witness a dramatic finish. Twenty-eight minutes of overtime were played before Manchester scored the goal that won the game 3-2 and the round 4-3 after a 1-1 draw in the first game last week. Players finished the game at the point of collapse, having played a total of 118 full-out minutes.

Tom Herd scored the round-winning goal with Hodson, Liverpool netminder, lying injured on the ground. Liverpool's heated protest was not upheld.

BIGGEST SURPRISE OF THE DAY

The biggest surprise was Rochdale's 2-1 victory over Blackpool, but the latter advanced by virtue of its 6-0 victory of last week for a round triumph of 6-2.

Newcastle, with "Bobby" Hubbard doing scoring all four goals, overcame a two-goal deficit from last week in defeating Darlington, 4-1 before a crowd of 40,000. The victory gave them the round.

Although held to a 1-1 draw by Manchester United, Birmingham advanced with an aggregate score of 4-3 through their 3-1 victory of last week. More than 18,000 fans found themselves hoarse during the tight battle.

In the other matches, Bath whipped Leeds's Athletic 3-0 for a round victory on 6-1, while Aston Villa gained a total victory on 4-2 over Coventry on the basis of the 2-1 win today. Bradford edged out Yorx 2-1 following up a 1-1 result in the initial match. Sheffield shaved Grimsby 1-0, taking the round 8-0. Aldershot, previous leaders in one of the four groups in which the League north is divided, was defeated 2-0 by Tottenham which took over the leadership and qualified for the semi-finals. Nearly 40,000 witnessed the tilt.

OVERSEAS CAGE SERIES

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, March 25 (CP)—Despite the presence of two members of Canada's 1936 Olympic team, an Armored Corps reinforcement unit was defeated by an infantry reinforcement unit for the C.R.U. Arts basketball championship.

The infantry lost the first game of the two-game, total-point series, 34-32, but swamped the opposition 36-14 in the second to take the series, 66-46.

The Olympians—Maj Ian Allison, of London and Windsor, Ont., and Tp. Dave Nixon—sparked their team's offensive in scoring a total of 24 points in the series

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Phils Have 29 Men in Camp

WILMINGTON, Del., March 25 (AP)—Ever since the Phillies made their last Western swing in 1943 with a skeleton club of three outfielders, four infielders, one catcher and a few assorted gate-bring Manager Freddie Fitzsimmons hasn't been worrying unduly about the player shortage.

Fits wouldn't care to go through that experience again, but he reckons it can't get much worse unless they change the nine-man rule.

At the present time the Phils have 29 men in camp and 20 of them are reasonably sure of being available for the 1944 season. Nine are in—A in the army drafts and eight others, who have not reported, are in 1-A, due for physical exams in the immediate future or staying at their farm or defense jobs.

Fitzsimmons isn't the type to brood over player losses or ball games. If he had any tendency to mourn a losing game, it was smashed away last Fall when he took his Phils to New orYk to play the Giants

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Single Header—Norris, 402; P. Wood, 385; B. Hodge 382; R. Turner, 381; M. Lawson 367. Total 2 077.

Singles—R. Elwood, 375; C. Berry, 364; H. Moore, 357; A. Porter, 352; J. Morris, 351. Total 1,799.

Team Two—M. Wellwood, 360; M. Davies, 359. Total 719.

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE

Doubles Prizes—J. Bate, 696; A. Pitman, 661; H. Dunnett 652; R. Morris, 651; G. Wilson, 650; C. Lewis, 648; Jones, 646. Handicap 99 Pins. Total 2,982.

Singles—L. Marriott, 350; B. Taylor, 350; B. Bate, 346; J. Patterson, 337; R. Lewis, 335; A. Murphy, 326; headings, Bailey 300, 286.

Team Two—Arcades—F. St. Martin 366; A. Noble, 358; A. Hartwell 357; J. Stewart, 356; E. Bate, 344; handicap, 160. Total, 2,710.

Car Finishers—J. Grayston, 316; J. Conder, 300; A. Cooper, 303; R. Price, 300; one score 600 handicap, 232. Total, 2,051.

Arcades won three.

B.C.L.—Wallace, 382; Townsend, 368; Wilson, 367; Hamilton, 366; Hamilton, 361; handicap, 162. Total, 2,006.

Byers & Co.—Yorke 364; Holland, 307; Byers, 441; Richardson, 342; H. Hamilton, 313; A. Price, 287; handicap 142. Total, 2,196.

Byers & Co won two.

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE

Lyons—F. Kirk, 370; C. Stewart, 357; M. Goodwin, 419; J. Bruce, 377; A. Wright, 377; handicap, 200. Total, 2,100.

Dominion Stores—Mrs. Hamilton, 360; Mrs. Ingle, 376; E. Clarke, 401; Mrs. Mullen, 377; M. Dowd, 372. Total, 2,285.

Quality Meat Market won three.

Bread Line—H. Turner, 458; G. Heath, 401; D. Lloyd, 397; Rice, 408; handicap, 200. Total, 2,264.

Arcades—Mrs. Dickinson, 366; B. Slater, 409; B. Hall, 386; C. Waters, 391; handicap, 200. Total, 2,152.

Bread Line won three.

B.C.L. Co.—Co-Ordinator, 166; B. Slater, 409; B. Hall, 386; C. Waters, 391; handicap, 200. Total, 2,152.

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Man Dies From Asphyxiation

Believed to have been overcome while attempting to flee his smoke-filled office in the Bank of Toronto Building, James Harold Le Page, 39, optometrist, collapsed and died from asphyxiation at 8.40 o'clock yesterday morning.

Fire Chief Alex Maitrie, who found Mr. Le Page lying on the floor of the office across the hall from his room said he believed that bed clothing which became ignited from an electric hotplate at the foot of the studio lounge was responsible.

Apparently awakened by the smoke, Mr. Le Page made his escape to the office across the hallway and then collapsed and fell against the window ledge.

A fire department inhalator crew, with Capt. Bob Brindle in charge, worked for 30 minutes in an effort to revive Mr. Le Page. Dr. E. L. McNiven and Dr. R. C. Hart, coroner, attended.

Pending the outcome of his investigation Dr. E. C. Hart, city coroner, said he would decide tomorrow if an inquest would be necessary.

The body was removed to S. J. Curry & Son's Funeral Home.

Born in Winnipeg 59 years ago, Mr. Le Page was in the optical business in Victoria for 36 years. A widower, he is survived by two sons, David, of Powell River, and Morley, in Victoria; two daughters, Mrs. Doris Powell, Victoria, and Mrs. M. Linehan, Port Alberni; one sister, Miss Mary Le Page, Victoria, and brother, W. M. Le Page, Vancouver, and four grandchildren.

City Police Court

Charged under the Narcotic Act with possession of opium, Charles Bryan Codd and Charles Albert Bentley appeared in city police court yesterday and were remanded for one week.

Stuart Henderson, defence counsel, asked the court to set bail at $500 each, but on the suggestion of C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor, Magistrate Henry C. Hall placed the amount at $1,000 each.

The information was sworn to by Cpl. Jack Watson, R.C.M.P., acts the date of the offence as February 17. Accused were escorted by Corporal Watson and R.C.M.P. squad on a warrant.

Twelve motorists paid fines amounting to $65 on traffic and Motor Vehicle Act violations.

Building Figures

Thirty-nine permits listing a total expenditure of $61,349 were taken out during the week in Greater Victoria, according to building statistics made public yesterday.

City topped the other municipalities by issuing 17 permits for a total of $27,154. The list included four new houses and a fuel storage bunker as the larger projects with the balance covering repairs and alterations.

Saanich residents took out 12 permits calling for expenditure of $22,200. Four new residences were in the total and accounted for the greater portion of the aggregate value of the week.

Six permits for construction, valued at $12,105, were issued in Oak Bay. Of the total amount $10,000 was taken up in the construction of three new dwellings.

Announcements

J. H. Nurse, D.O.C., registered doctor of surgical chiropody. Corns and in-grown nails removed painful feet treated by electro-therapy, manipulation, massage etc. Arch supports prescribed to your own individual needs. J. H. Nurse, 1405 Douglas. Phone G 2725.

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Margaret Jenkins Parent-Teacher Association presents Belmont Players in Alan Minnie From Minnesota March 30 at 8 in school auditorium.

Nurse, Change of Ossie, Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council meeting 8 p.m., YWCA March 29 Delegate's report of Seattle conference will be given.

Georgian Chorister Recital, St. Andrew's Church schoolroom, March 31, 8.15 p.m. Guest artists, Eileen Nash, Pierre Timp and P. Humphrey Pelliet.

Rummage Sale 719 View, 2.30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 29, by Queen City Chapter.

St. Mary's Ladies' Guild, Oak Bay, jumble sale, March 28, buffets collected. Phone Mrs. Bowers, E 1371.

New Selections of leather purses, bags and belts for gifts. McMartin's, 718 Yates.

Kilmalia Guest House, Mill Bay, will not be open this season.

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Heads R.C.A.F. Recruiting Centre

R.C.A.F. Photo.
Above Is Sqdn. Ldr. R. H. Masterman, Commanding Officer of No. 1 Recruiting Centre, R.C.A.F., in the Royal Bank Building, Vancouver.

City and District

Shed on Fire—City firemen were called to 1134 View Street at 11.20 o'clock yesterday morning to fight a fire in a shed. Sparks from rubbish burning nearby spread to the shed, causing the fire. It was reported.

Sock Tag Day—Canadian Aid to Russia Fund, Victoria Branch, is requesting permission of the City Council to hold a tag day on a date later received yesterday at the City Hall. The communication adds that at the suggestion of the council that Alderman J. Worthington, city's appointee on the committee, be included on the executive, will be carried out.

Preparing for Estimates—With the 1944 estimates expected to come before the City Council some time this week, finance and public works committees have listed important estimates. The finance committee will meet Monday at 10 o'clock in the morning, and the public works board will convene at 3 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. It was learned yesterday at the City Hall.

Praises Auxiliary Fireman—Eric McMorran, an auxiliary at Cluxewe Bay, was praised by Fire Chief Joseph and Assistant Chief Lambert, in a letter, for his work in checking a fire in the Dominion Department Store, Alaska Street, yesterday morning. McMorran, with the use of buckets of water, brought the blaze under control while the department was on its way to the scene. An overheated stove was responsible, the fire-chief said. The walls and ceiling of the house were damaged.

Juveniles Apprehended — Apprehension by city police Friday night of three youths who admitted entering the Pacific Market, 1003 Haultain Street, has cleared up two other break-ins, it was learned yesterday. Police found two lads in the store and a third outside the premises and a quantity of cigarettes in the basement. Subsequent investigations led to the identifying they entered the Hillside Community Store, Hillside Avenue on Thursday evening, while one of the boys interviewed police that he broke into the Rex Cadets Hall with two other lads some weeks ago.

Cars Damaged — Considerable damage resulted to two cars involved in an unusual accident on Davie Street, south of Leighton Road, at 6.15 o'clock yesterday morning, in a report of the mishap filed at police headquarters. Both Mary E. Hetherington, 3510 Beach Drive, and Gordon Cobb, 1240 Davie Street when she was in collision with an automobile owned by John Thorntaltwaite Sr., and parked on Davie Street, the report said. Force of the impact drove the Thorntaltwaite car under the rear of a truck owned by the Hyde Motor Co., doing considerable damage to both automobiles.

Sign Agreement

Hugh A. Allison president of the Victoria and District Drivers, Division 224 of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees and Other Transport Workers, reports the signing of a union agreement with Evans, Coleman & Johnson Co.

The agreement calls for union recognition, provides procedure for adjusting differences and embodies a check-off clause.

As the wages currently being paid by the concern are higher than in the industry, no general wage increase was asked but an additional one week's annual vacation with pay has been granted.

Four-Year-Old Child Diphtheria Suspect

A four-year-old Victoria West child being detained at Royal Jubilee Hospital isolation ward for tests for diphtheria, is suspected of diphtheria, suspect Dr. Richard Hall, medical health officer, said yesterday.

At the same time Dr. Prison stated that two women nurses taken to the hospital earlier in the week have been discharged as diphtheria cases.

Addresses of the two women, one the wife of an airman and the other the wife of a shipyard worker, brings to six the number of cases reported in Greater Victoria first recurrence of the disease here in nine years.

Careful surveillance by the health officer and tests of all contacts has failed to disclose the source of the disease.

Red Cross Total Now Near $140,000

Red Cross collections in Greater Victoria area up to Friday evening were $139,962 95, officials reported. The sum is nearly $40,000 above the original quota, and $15,000 above a new quota of $125,000 set half-way through the campaign, Headquarters on Government Street are continuing to accept subscriptions until the end of March.

Totals by divisions and districts, as Special names, $46,504; business, $12,218.88; residential, $43,729.15; industrial, $10,777.26; services, $14,-189.88; hotels, $3,899.33; outside, $10,643.57.

Officials reported the following subscriptions of $15 or more yesterday:

Victoria Military Hospital (group), $233.55; Dr. M. J. Keys $50; Senator J. H. King, $25; Marshall-Wells (B.C.) Ltd., $25; Oyro Club (CJVI prize money), $34; Salvage Corps of British Columbia, $500; T. R. Mackolm, $30; Mrs. J. S. Ainslie, $25; Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Baillie, $50; Mrs. Browne, $28.83; K. B. Davison, $35; P. Johnson, $25; S. E. Levy, $25; Mrs. J. N. N. Hodgins $25; J. Rallson, $25; W. G. Crawford, $50; Falconer Marine Industries, Ltd., $50; A. E. Kresge Co (employees), "28.75; Woolworth-Wide Girls' Club, $52; Woolworth's Ltd (employees' group collection), $28.25.

Doukhobors to Meet in Nelson

NELSON, B.C., March 25 (CP)—Despite failure to get civic official sanction, a group of Sons of Freedom Doukhobors will hold a public meeting in a hall here Monday night, to explain their religion.

The hall seats about 200 people, and Mayor N. C. Gibbs said today a careful watch by city police would be maintained to prevent any disturbances.

Mayor Gibbs said he had sent the Doukhobors to the chief of police, who told them they would not be prevented from holding their meeting, provided there are no disorders. The group of sect members sponsoring the meeting had asked sanction for the meeting from civic authorities and had been refused.

Thomas Neil Rolfe Funeral Wednesday

Funeral services for Thomas Neil Rolfe were held at Royal Jubilee Hospital on Friday in his 90th year, at 2.30 o'clock on Wednesday at 2 p.m. at St. John's Church. Rev. George Biddle officiated. Burial will be in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Mr. Rolfe came to Canada in 1880 and lived in Toronto, Newcastle and Orangeville, Ont., before coming to Victoria in 1889. He had sung in St. John's Church Choir for many years. He was a member of Vancouver and Qiudra Lodge, No. 2 A.F. and A.M. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. R. C. Blackburn, Kamloops, and Mrs. E. H. McGregor, Courtenay, one son, V. Mc.N. Rolfe Victoria; ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Dead in Crash

BRANDON, Man., March 25 (CP)—Three persons were killed and several injured last night when two automobiles collided near Glenwood, Riding, 40 miles northwest of here.

The dead: Leo Wersh of Strathclair, Man.; Marie Austin Glenwood Riding and Margaret Winston, Strathclair.

Wersh was with a party of curlers en route home from Beaumont Mer., while the two others were returning from a concert at Strathclair.

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Club Calendar

MONDAY — Gyro Club luncheon, Empress Hotel grill room, 12-10 p.m. Canadian Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m. Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club, business meeting, in the clubroome, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.

THURSDAY — Canadian Club and Rotary joint luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m. Lions Club luncheon, Spencer's dining-room, 12.15 p.m. Kinsmen Club dinner, Empress Hotel, 6.30 p.m.

Hon. G. M. Ferguson, former Canadian High Commissioner to London and formerly Premier of Ontario, will deliver an address on "The Future of the West" before the Canadian Club at a luncheon Monday at the Empress Hotel. The same day, Gyro Club will have as their speaker, J. Hartley Fowler, world service secretary of the YMCA National Council. The Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club will hold a business meeting in the evening.

Kiwanians will hold a "Prince Edward Island Night" at their Tuesday luncheon. Among those taking part will be E. D. Lenchbrig, Bill Macdonald, Ralph Matthews and Dr. R. J. Wilis.

Thursday, Canadian Club members will again meet, to hear Dr. W. A. P. Hepburn, director of education, Ayrshire, Scotland. They will be joined by Rotary Club members. Member of the Scottish council for research in education and chairman of the new Carnegy committee, he is on a tour sponsored by the Canadian Council of Education. Dr. Hepburn served at Gallipoli with the Royal Scots and with the Gordon Highlanders in France, where he won the Military Cross in 1918.

John P. Bledsoe will speak to Lions Club, Thursday, on such as his subject, "Polishing Pretty Pebbles". He has collected stones from many parts of the world. Mayor John P. Pitts will deliver an address on International Politics. Members of Kinsmen Club also meet for dinner in the evening.

Killed by Police

WINDSOR, Ont. March 25 (CP)—Max Glassco, 21, Windsor, was shot and killed by a police constable early today when, police said, he and three other men were fleeing from a stolen car.

Constable Henry Bird said one shot from his 38-calibre service revolver hit Glassco first said or had called to the four men to stop early today. The other men were placed under arrest.

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The men arrested are Ray Bangle of Windsor, and Herbert Hendy of Sandwich. They are charged with charges of car theft.

Informant of his son's death Glassco's father said the youth only recently came out of reformatory, and had said he was "through with crime, that he was going to go straight."

V.C. Winner Dies

CANTERBURY, England, March 25 (CP)—Major Gerald Ernest Mayo, 46, who won the Victoria Cross in 1918 when he was a captain in the Lancers, two squadrons of which rode into an ambush of Foreign Deviation.

Churchill also was a member of the 31st Lancers, and saw Byrne fearlessly rescue a trooper, in order to let an officer escape.

REPORT CHURCHILL SPEECH

MOSCOW, March 25 (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill's speech to American Congress on Tuesday will be followed with great attention according to the Prime ing a two-day broadcast, was reported prominently by the Soviet radio in Western Europe soon press and radio today, with particular would get underway.

At a time when there is so much cruelty, ugliness and unhappiness in the world, it is more important than ever that our children should grow up with a love of beauty and the better things in life

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From Mid-Atlantic

A naval officer writes home to his former fellow employees, conveying his thanks for a box of candy sent to him.

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The London Letter

By GLANVILLE CAREW
British United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON—Ordinarily there are about 8,000,000 persons resident in London. Setting off the exodus of people who have taken refuge in the provinces against the influx of others who have had to come here for one reason or another is now the time the population probably returnable almost to the same. Every one of them want a flat—an "apartment" as you'll say. Now, of those 8,000,000 them, I should think. Here is an advertisement which appeared a few days ago. Month: the advertiser has been trampled to death in the rush does not yet appear.

"Unfurnished mews flat. Regent's Park, adjoined to couple (exempt) of family rent free in exchange for three hours' housework in mornings and laughing to do hot water and central heating morning and night and dust a week walk dog and attend small garden and occasional repairs in house. Flat contains very nice bedroom with gas, hot water cylinders, large living-room with fireplace, three bedrooms with fine pictures and built-in cupboards, bathroom with separate w.c. One bedroom has hot and cold basin, whole flat wired with heating points. Buses a few yards away. . . . One to three months' notice to be given on either side".

Those are a little over 100 words in this advertisement and give about the same number of years of London's social history.

ONE, BUT MANY'S MANY LUNGS

The area in the northwest quarter of town runs known as Marylebone Fields was open land until the days of the Regency, when it was taken over by H.M.'S Commissioners of works and Parcels and formed into Regent's Park of 472 acres which is one of London's many lungs today. It is Crown property.

Round the perimeter of the park, and overlooking it, is a road known as the Outer Circle" which is lined with separate terraces of houses named after Royal Dukes—Gloucester, Cumberland, Cornwall—brides—from which hardly anything but new visitor, they don't know about 1800-1850 (William IV and Queen Victoria and are third stories' Crown lease. They are good houses, in peacetime well kept up. In their realm and stable age wealthy people lived in them and even today only persons very well-to-do can afford to maintain them. At the moment many are untenanted because hotel requisitions took them for time being unthinkable—and the lessees could afford to live elsewhere.

In the days when these houses were built and for long after (and this applies to thousands of London houses of the same class) their backs into the mews carriage and horses in the mews which ran like a lane through. In most of these there would be a couple of stalls and a coach house, and a harness room on the ground level with modest living accommodation on the over above.

Perhaps I had better interpose here a couple of explanations. First, after Lieutenant "Mews. The Royal Stables in London built on the side of the King's mews for hawks—hence a range of stables with coach houses (thereby hangs a tale) were usually connected with a set of stables or fitted up as converted stables. Mew. A cage for hawks."

MIGHT STAND
A MEW LAID

Times enlarged the horses and carriages originated into a family of mews or less forgotten things. If the employer was too old or did not care to move with the times the stabling in the mews might stand empty for years. If otherwise, the chauffeur and the car took the places of the coachman and the horses.

So it came about that great numbers of converted stables in mews were to be found for years all over London, and in that condition of things the Regent's Park's Mews Era only a few among many examples.

Then came the period following the Great War of 1914-1918, and London's, after years of strain, relaxed from the austerities and restrictions of war into something approaching social liberality. The period was comparable ralloning for the lapse of three centuries and four or extra tempo, extra measure, to the chance which took place in England at the time of the Restoration when the Puritans vanished and the King came into his own again.

Young people of both sexes of the social set of the West End were mad. Most of them had money to burn and Give Who had not lived luxuriously on credit in the 1920's between Wind End way. They were harem-scarem materials as the Bright Young People and to others by words not found in dictionaries. They gave all-night parties where they and their guests were dressed as infants with bibs, bonnets. They became an intolerable nuisance and continued to make the police and the magistrates aware.

Lots of them left parental houses for greater freedom and found these empty mews conveniently converted into their own quite luxurious bijou flats. Money was no object. They lived in their flats in Bohemian but easy expensive fashion. Some of it may have been innocent; all of it was imbecile.

That period also passed and the Bright Young People with it—but their mews flats remained and are still a characteristic feature of London's accommodation in certain districts.

They are occupied by whom vacant and command good rents and it is indicative of the shortage and the demand for labor that such a place as mews flat is offered with "rent free" as a bribe.

After all those years, here is what this mews is a humble home for humble people with, as Cockney would say, "nothing of anything" in the way of amenities complete today with "fashionon, hot and cold water, heating points, built-in cupboards and hot water cylinders." What are they? We-e-ll. I suppose the name emptiness itself, but to the eyes of one who, like myself, has rather engineering knowledge to understand them nor vocabulary to describe them, the apparatus suggests the result of an affair between a mains drain and a Russian bomb.

Says Aussie Heroes Are Getting Little Credit

By FRED PETERSON
Sydney, Australia, Sun War Correspondent

North Australian Correspondent Alliance

SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUINEA (By Wireless).—The impression that seems to be gaining ground here every day, namely, that if Australians bring the major part in the war fighting on New Guinea it must have been a minor one, needs to be corrected. It is the result of a wrong misconception this can wait until the history books are written. You time to tell the story about Australia's part in these operations, for the fulfilling them around toward Tokio is now.

It must be a shock to the diggers on leave after months of fighting in jungle and mud to read that people abroad have been saying that where they got to after they returned to the City of London's must be poor comfort to wives and sweethearts of Australians in honor of next wooden crosses in a cemetery up north.

The plain truth is that Australia's part in the battle for New Guinea challenges comparison with the most brightest exploits in the Middle East and with the deeds of their fathers in the last war.

Australian diggers turned back the Japs on Kokoda Trail and over the rugged Owen Stanley Mountains when they were 30 miles from Port Moresby, and they drove the Japs in tatters and full headlong back the Japs were they were 30 miles from Buna—starting in January, 1943, and finished these in the bitterest fighting Australian troops captured Lae and swept down the Markham and Ramu valleys, and they effected the Finschhafen Peninsula Mountains behind Finschhafen and Sattelberg.

The story of Japanese withdrawal from New Guinea, from the mountains overlooking Port Moresby to the North Coast, is found inseparably with the exploits of Australian commanders—Generals Rowell, Savanda, Tanimo Mountain, Blamaua, Lae, Finschhafen and the Ramu Valley campaign which the history books of the future will place alongside Gallipoli, Villers, Bret and Poilcres.

FOUGHT IN MUD,
RAIN, HEAD

The troops who fought in the Ramu and Lae valleys and the campaigns know they were Australian shows. War correspondents who accompanied the Australians say the Australians did a job, and the actual fighting was the toughest of the season there it ends.

The people of America, for instance, don't appear to know Australian correspondents accompanied the troops and that is natural enough for them, writing from Washington, but it is hard explainable the part played by the American forces on the theory that Americans are doing most of the fighting in the Pacific.

Spring Fashions

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The Collarless Suit

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You may be asked to forego nylons, frou-frou and other pre-war luxuries for the duration, but when you can wear the trim, good-looking sports togs of '44, you're not apt to fret very much. For there's something wonderfully wearable for every taste and every figure in the smart line-up of soiture and spectator sportswear now available at shops throughout the country.

Whether you're an indoor or an outdoor girl, you'll like the whistle-stick lines of the new dresses, slacks sets, suits and "separates." None of them seems to be suffering from fabric rationing, rather do they seem smart and slick-looking with their new slender lines and crisp tailoring. Gabardines, spun rayons, cottons and so many new mixtures with interesting textures and finishes, not to mention wool aplenty, are utilized to make go-everywhere, do-everything fashions that "satisfy" in wearability as well as good looks.

VARIETIES OF '44

Cardigan jackets vie with blazers for the top honors in both suits and separates toppers. New short coats that can go on over extra skirts or pastel dresses are forerunners that are bidding for and winning popularity in gay billboard colors. Weskits, real and simulated, have invaded the sportswear field for dyeing, and will be seen in as many versions as there are wearers, in solid colors, checks, plaids and stripes. These "big three" are slated to be seen over and over again, as separates, as components of best-selling suits and slacks ensembles. The weskit-effect dress, a newcomer this year, is favored for its waist-slimming effect as well as for its novelty line and simulated two-piece look.

"SUPER" BLACKS

Even if you've been a strictly shirt-and-skirt girl to date, you're bound to cast admiring glances at the newly graceful slacks you'll see at almost every turn of the counter. New weskit-top slacks offer a smart contrast for your favorite blouse and sweater—and yes, happily, you'll find plenty of these to choose from this Spring. And there's something streamlined and down-to-business about a trimly tailored pair of slacks—especially if you're a busy home-maker with both indoor and outdoor chores to accomplish. Rosie the Riveter may have been responsible for bringing the slacks vogue to new glory, but at any rate, the ladies are wearing the pants this season with a new and more subtly planned flattery. No longer do the bulges and bulks of the trouser beginnings plague the feminine wearers of slacks—today they are graceful, good-looking and long-wearing. Yes, slacks have definitely come of age.

SHIRT 'N' SKIRTS STAR, TOO

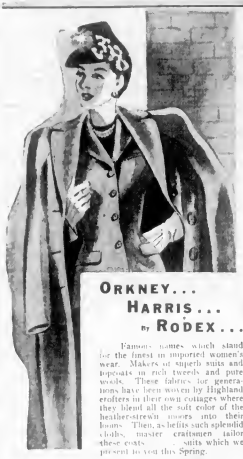
Suppose you are the skirt-lover? Well, this is your shining hour, in every sense of the word. The CWAC, WRENS and other uniformed girls have given a new glamor to the shirt and skirt vogue, with the result that you can compose fascinating trains of skirts and blouses in practically every mood. There are plaids and colors for daytime, even lumberjack outfits to do your "man-of-the-house" work in, then there are classy failles to pour off with charming little girl blouses, to wear when that certain person arrives in town. Colonna in wonderful new ruffled versions are making the headlines just now in both blouses and dresses that will make anyone a lot more feminine and that will go through the suits with the greatest of ease.

As Spring brightens into Summer, the bareback dress, in wonderful new cottons, will steal the limelight, and the sunlight for some of the tough visits or right in your own backyard—wherever entertaining is best. Some of these appealing young dresses will sport matching or contrasting aprons and scarves. These, together with a whole raft of top pin interests of figure-flattering purse-pleasing shirts slacks sets, play dresses and bathing suits, are sure and lane-bubbling favorites, destined to get the aces, eyes and whistles of gentlemen in and out of uniform. They're neither too young nor too old—nor are you to appreciate and approve the newly flattering sportswear that's making its debut now for Spring and Summer 1944.

For the modern miss the boxy slipover is first choice. Lilac is first color, apple green, cherry and peach following. Navy and white both have their ardent supporters. Color and more color is the keynote—as it is in everything for youth.

SOMBRERO and WAGON-WHEELS express the "Americana" spirit of casual fashions.

"Oklahoma" spirit in a casual dress of Botany gabardina with saddle stitching, worn by Joan Robarts, star of the play by the same name. "British Fagger" coat by Lord, of London; men's wear flannel with wide sleeves, to slip easily over a suit. Simplicity designed the last two-piece "charmer" for Miss or Mrs. with pleated skirt, tailored blouse and roomy pockets.



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Easter Tip!

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Spring Scarves Have Unlimited Uses

Long, square, triangular or oblong . . . Spring scarves are here in a galaxy of colors and fabrics. Worn as turbans, snood-type head-huggers, or as your favorite sacola, there are scarves galore from gossamer sheers, to nun's wear necktie rayons, to please every taste and purse.

Scarf sorcery is being sponsored by one of the country's leading manufacturers who claims that individuality is a matter of scarf manipulation. Instead of just tying the scarf in the same old "tired" bow or knot, try tying one end through a suit button-hole and over the lapel of the jacket; or gather a chiffon square into a cape-collar effect to perk up a basic frock. You can even contrive an apron effect with a scarf . . . or twist yourself a head-dress that will woo a solid-color suit or dress.

Rock-garden florals, Mexican chili scenes and wonderful new icy-mint tones are on the list of Spring scarf shades. And of course the new peasant-type squares that double as shoulder-huggers or quirkcuddlers, are in the hearts of the young-sters.

Scarf fascinators may have started with Sakone, but her 1944 savants have a few tricks of their own to try on modern audiences!

Inspiration Is World-Wide

This wartime Spring finds the new fashions at a zenith of Canadian functionalism. If the brilliance of their airplane arrows to come from south of the border, if their collar-less necklines are reminiscent of Chinese robes, if their sheath-slim skirts hark back to Greek classicism—then are even the less typically Canadian, having undergone their metamorphosis during the processes which translated them from a designer's sketch pad to the Real fashion.

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Coats of many colors are the rule for this busy spring, with versatility, good looks and trim tailoring the top characteristics of models in many price ranges.

Town coats with a casual air are leading the popularity polls from coast to coast, with a special bow to the new longer styles that look so well over suits, skirts and blouses, or casual dresses. Cardigan or classic collar styles, in the new shorter length, some with jumbo buttons, others without closings, are making the fashion headlines in stores throughout the country. Young, debonair and entirely functional, these charming young fashions come in pastels as bright and becoming as they are cheerful. Sharing fruit colors, smart natural shades, as well as navy and black, red, green and grey, are seasonable shades that are definitely preferred for spring and after wear.

CLASSIC FASHIONS POPULAR

Although the topper in 1944 a newcomer to the hit parade, there are features-up aplenty . . . including the always-dashing, ever-appropriate Chesterfield, the boxy boy coat and the simple effective but eternally graceful fitted princess reefer. These are designed in smart wool weaves that flatter a tailored costume as ably as they do a casual or simple afternoon dress. The boy coat and the Chesterfield come in wonderful bonbon colors, oftentimes with matching buttons. The Chesterfield is very much in vogue, too, especially in its 1944 variations which include slim, pencil-stripe flannels and worsteds in the best Beau Brummell tradition. Worn with a crisp candy-stripe sack, these Chesterfields offer that rest-save-pin streamlined effect that is so much a part of the new-season fashion picture.

GOOD COMPANIONS FOR SUITS

This spring a smart, well-tailored suit is practically a must. Never have there been such a deluge of good-looking styles, and the neckwear designers are outdoing themselves with attractive dickies, vestees, jabots and waistcoats to help set them off to new advantage. Now that the three-piece suit is out, due to wartime fabric restrictions, it's an excellent idea to purchase a separate matching or contrasting coat while you're choosing your suit. Not only is the coat itself a wise investment for all-season versatility . . . you can team it with your suit skirt for a stunning two-piece outfit, thus giving yourself variety as well as versatility.

The braid-trimmed coat in serge-type fabrics is here again in a host of delightful variations. These are a bit dressier, but with their charming Victorian inspiration, are truly feminine fashions that can never lose their appeal. As background for fur scarves—also going full speed ahead for flying-and-later success —these coats are elegant and dateless investments. Notable for their simple but precise lines and graceful detail, they are effective in navy, black or brown twill-like woolens that wear as all good coat fabrics should.

In buying a coat, remember that it's the line, the color, the fabric and the purpose you should bear in mind. A coat is never just another thing to hang in your closet . . . It should be a standby and a comfort to wear wherever you find yourself . . . going to and from the office, dashing across campus, or traveling out and back to that army camp or navy post, and serving ably and admirably while you're there, of course. And this is the year, as never before, to find the coat that serves you, and your needs, your budget . . . smartly, capably and successfully.

His coat of the year is the one which balances brevity of length with importance of detail. The one at the right is tailored by Brittany in a fabric by Stroock.

The right coat (below) for all occasions. Of Arlingcrest wool twill in dark colors.

Trend Is To Soften Simplicity

Use of Fabric And Color Gives Dramatic Effect

How will I look this Spring?" is every woman's fashion challenge.

To begin with—the answer is "slim of silhouette, but not severely straight"; for even the simplest dress is soft in detail and in its kindness to the figure.

A dress may be of print or monotone dark, pastel or bright. It may have long shirt sleeves that suggest it for office, travel and sports—or it may have tiny cap sleeves which distract it to the dance floor and restaurant table. It may fasten comelike down the front, unsymmetrically to a side, or youthfully down the back. And whether it is strategically designed in one piece, adds the flash of a bolero, or the newness of a tunic, it will be essentially svelte, conforming to the figure in beautifully proportioned lines, with fine detail to make figure imperfections seem non-existent.

Continuing as the outstanding favorite of the Canadian woman, is the full-dress, that softly dress-maker pampered, two-piece fashion comprised of jacket and skirt which combine as a dress—or which can double as a suit by addition of a blouse. In rayons and light-weight wools—and in the sturdier cottons—suit dresses belong in every spring and summer wardrobe which has a need for any new clothes at all.

SUITS GO SOFT

Soft femininity and high color feature suits for Spring. "Softness" best describes the new look in the three-button models, a softness attained by waistline darts, the moulding of the shoulders, miniature revers and other interesting details.

Many versions of these dress-maker types appear in the shorter lengths which include bellhop jacket styles and boxy ones with broad trimmings and satin bow tie at the neck. In wool crepe dorskin-finish wools or twill-like styles include the cardigan, raglan or classic.

For Spring the short topper is the big story in coats. While fingertip lengths undoubtedly will find more favor, very smart is the shortest length to be worn with dresses and separate skirts. Many variations are to be found in the topper styling in details, in collars, pockets, shoulders and lengths, but in any form it is as youthful, simple and casual as woman can desire.

Fitted coats are slimmer and softer as to waistline. The reefer style is effective, neat of seams with stitched detail to mould the waistline. Some have backs slightly bloused. The most youthful ones have high collarless necklines and double-breasted closings.

FABRIC AND COLOR

And, finally, the Chesterfield is still "tops," especially in men's wear striped fabrics.

The full length boxy coat still the backbone of the coat wardrobe favors Shetlands in brilliant and pastel shades and the ever-popular wool napthalized-mouton twill in navy and black.

As to fabrics, those favored comprise Shetlands, flannels, worsted gabardines, twills and lightweight woolens with a dowlin finish. All are to be seen in the highly desirable ranges of colors as suit tonic for the Spring wardrobe.

All coats are vibrantly colorful. Lilac, gold, fuschia, lime and cherry lead the color riot.

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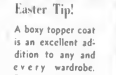

Easter Tip!

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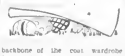

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By ALICE TEN EYCK

Although rayon has been in practical commercial use only since 1910, it has become, in this short space of time, one of the basic fibres in the world today. Vast quantities are needed for essential military equipment. Rayon goes into every type of clothing . . . from hats to shoes and into every kind of household fabric, including rugs, tablecloths and blankets. From the standpoint of the number of pounds used yearly, of all the basic fibres—cotton, flax, wool and silk—rayon is, today, second in importance.

These statistics are important to all consumers because they reveal the rapid development of this man-made fibre that will continue to have increasing importance in our daily lives.

War needs have accelerated the development of new uses for rayon, which will add to civilian comforts after the war is over. Rayon tire cords for bombers and motorized army equipment have proved to be stronger, more resistant to heat, and therefore safer, than the cords formerly used. These safer, stronger tires will be available to civilians in future years.

Wartime civilian life has also witnessed many new uses for rayon. Take, for example, the warm coatings, quiltings and dress fabrics made of rayon blended with wool. These fabrics have proved so satisfactory that they will doubtless be seen in increasing numbers.

Rayon with highly absorbent qualities is now being used for handkerchiefs, table linens and baby's diapers. Experiments are being conducted to produce rayon with the qualities needed for towels, sheets and pillow cases.

The first paint brush with rayon bristles was introduced not so long ago and has proved highly satisfactory. Rugs and carpets containing rayon combined with other fibres are not only attractive in appearance, but hard wearing because of the high tensile strength of rayon.

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Spring Hats---Pretty as a Picture

Flat-Tops, Feminine Fedoras, Sailors, Berets Make Headlines; Pretty Color Spotlighted

With soft feminine fashions starred for Easter, excitingly pretty color-bright hats make headlines. In fact right through early Spring, there have been flagrantly frilly hat-hats, gay pastel felts, bright hats with embroidery to keep a woman in the mood of the merry month of May, household problems forgotten. And now that Easter is practically around the corner in the fashion world, hat designers have gone all out for color and there is such an exciting variety that every woman can choose her pet color and be sure it is fashion-right. Even in colors, the feminine shades are favored and one sees a great deal of turquoise, American Beauty, pastel blue and shades of violet. As for the hats themselves, they are feminine as can be, many of them going back to the Victorian era for their demure charm.

SILHOUETTES FOR EVERY COIFFURE

The silhouettes like the colors are infinitely varied. Designers expressing themselves in this-free country have given free rein to their creative ideas and the results are the smartest, most wearable hats that have been seen in many a Springtime.

For those soft suits which many women will wear, there are dressy fedoras in beige and more green felt, with clusters of apple blossoms posed on the brims and bridled on top of the crowns. Snug little sling veils of fuchsia or Kelly green catch under the chin.

That most typical of all suit hats, the sailor, is strong in the Easter fashion picture, with more variations in its silhouettes than ever. Brims are narrow, wide or scooped, crowns are tiny, broad, shallow or high. There are interesting color contrasts that give these hats a double-duty tie-up with both light and dark suits.

One black straw suit hat has a narrow brim and sides-pipe crown, which is encircled with a wide band of cinnamon brown belting ribbon, ending in little streamers down the back. The black face veil is trimmed with a border of cinnamon velvet graduated dots.

There is just as much versatility in the other hat silhouettes. Becoming features of Fall and Winter hats, such as the forward-tilted effects are retained. Berets, bumpers, trimmers, pillboxes and modified pouillions, generally quite small affairs to flatter the wearer. Newer vies that complement the flat-top hair-do, follow the head-hugging theme, with its tailored side width, seen distinctly in the versions of the Dutch bonnet, the baby cape, the Pamplets and the helmet hats.

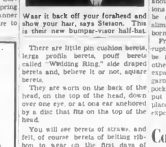
The half-hat continues for Spring. There are sometimes little bandeaux of self-flowers with loops of high fashion drama or the demure bow and sometimes they are small boat-shaped hats in straw or felt. The half-bonnet is a smartly wearable fashion for those who like a hat that is a hat.

BERETS' TOPS FOR EASTER

Has there ever been a Spring when there wasn't a beret in the foreground of the fashion picture? Certainly there has never been a Spring like Spring, 1944, when all manner and size and shape of berets are to be worn.

A corsage of roses, sweet peas and mignonette cascades over one eye in this periscopic Miles by Ladda Norshbridge.

Wear it back off your forehead and show your hair, says Slesson. This is their new bumper-visor half-hat.



There are little pin cushion berets, large pastille berets, pouff berets called "Wedding Ring," side draped berets and, believe it or not, square berets.

They are worn on the back of the head, on the top of the head, down over one eye, or as one ear anchored by a disc that fits on the top of the head.

You will see berets of straws, and felt, of coarse berets of belting ribbon to wear on the first days of Spring.

SHIRTING THE SEASON

Sure-fire styles for Spring are the sun-round, shallow pleated and the box-pleated skirts worn with sweater or blouse. Flannels, Shetlands and bright plaids are most frequently used.

Easter Tip!

Cloche brims make fashion headlines for Easter! Young, smooth, sophisticated, wonderful atop your suit!

Sprigs of mimosa and bird-cage veil are harbingers of Spring on a navy tall, off-the-face hat with gathered brim, mushroom draped at the back.

"Heir Minded" Fashions Give Young Mothers a Most Flattering Choice

The best thing that can be said about this season's maternity fashions is that they are so pretty, they'll be adjusted to fit each mother's slimming figure after her baby is born!

Profits of pretty neckwear; interrupted lines to the waist which can be filled with dickeys, gilets and other bright contrasts; adjustable expansion features which make each garment fit nearly month by month; pockets, bows and touches of color put at strategic, eye-deflecting places, all manoeuvre to flatter the expectant mother.

The season's boxy coat silhouette is a natural to minimize a pregnant figure, while drawstring coat skirts and peasant blouses also prove helpful in concealing growing measurements.

Wonderfully practical fashion for ladies to waiting is the jumper, specially proportioned to make the best of increasing girth. Worn with brightly printed blouses — blouses with soft, enormous bows tied under the chin—and pastels that emphasize a pretty complexion, the jumper can be worn a few times a week—creating a different effect each time.

Corduroy in narrow and medium wales, and wide wale cotton duvetyn are also favored for Spring coats and suits.

Black cottons are going to town in a big way, and playing around in the country, too. This feeling for black originated with our Latin American neighbors and is now taking over the fashion world. It's found in everything from tailored clothes to dirndls and pinafores, often accented with rickrack or embroidery for peasant styles. Even some of the smartest children's clothes to be seen are made of black sateen with gay painted motifs.

Gingham and chambrays in stripes, checks, plaids and plains tie with printed cottons for bonnets to trim as well as in the country. The prints are available in small, pretty florals of the challis type appropriate for the mature woman as well as her daughter, while the latter can turn to wallpaper, border and novelty prints.

Cottons Are Fresh As Spring

Cottons go hand in hand with Spring fashions because cotton has a freshness as young as Spring itself. An acknowledged first for the new season's bit style the pinback. Cottons are also playing a feature role in classic as well as novelty fashions.

Spring cottons are not confined to dresses but make an entrance in coats and suits. Hollowcut velveteen taken on added richness in one model cut as full as a mink coat with push-up sleeves and a wide tuxedo! It has a belt and may be worn loose or fitted. A mandarin type is useful for all times and places, for suits, co-ordinated jackets, slacks and skirts are made out of hollowcut, too, for a year-round city-country combination. The jacket, cut lumberjack fashion, looks smart, comfortable and practical.

Blouses Make Headline News, Accent on Feminine Detail

Spring again, and blouses are still headline news. For stretching a wardrobe and lending variety at the same time, there is no better fashion scheme than the one of using interchangeable shirts, jackets and blouses. This is an important note at the moment, since getting the most out of clothes is a by-word.

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Colors range from parachilite white and soft pastel tones to the very darling

GLOVES HARMONIZE

Colorful fabric gloves are natural mates for Spring costumes. A dash of color here and there gives the tailored-to-more dressy outfit that note of interest that makes for eye appeal.

The color of a blouse or one of the colors in a print may be picked up most effectively in a pair of gloves. The shade of a hat reflected on the hands creates excellent zone co-ordination. Bags and gloves in matching colors are Spring highlights this season.

Bright colors in snood-nets by Lily Dache sing of Spring. This model wears the new bright tones to match bar nail polish in Cutex lollipop.

Hats Win 'Teen Age Approval

Half-Hats and Pretty Flowers Are Popular

The pretty youngsters who are crowding around bara thase days—as we term hat bars—are selecting half-hats or cutout backless hats that they can wear right through Spring and Summer. The new neat way of dressing has captured the imagination of the young girls who once went about with flowing mane bouncing on their shoulders. Now even a debutante brushes back her hair and visits the shops under neatly at the back. This sleek coiffure is topped by a small and young hat especially designed to go with the new, well-groomed look.

So many lovely little half-covered hats, as well as those with simple classic contours, give a wide choice in selection. Cakote and half-hats and bonnets are beautifully trimmed with all of Springtime's favorite flowers. Roses are very much in evidence as well as violets, gardenias, and many old-fashioned garden and wild varieties.

The flowers may be banked on either side of a half-hat or form a halo effect over and across. For a bonnet inspired by those of the Godey's Ladies' Book era, they may be tucked coyly around or under the brim.

GALA VARIETY

Many of these models have a back band or ribbon that ties under the chignon, or a netted snood. Cutouts in the crown or an open back also reveal the coiffure—and save on precious material.

Straw for hats is quite scarce this year and many synthetic straws are being used. Other materials include strawbraid, strawcloth fabric and grosgrain. More felts than ever are seen, particularly for the simple classic type hats. Popular colors are navy and light blue, American beauty, dusty pink, brown and beige, lime, chartreuse and violet.

There are style variations on all the simple classic models. Bumpers may be square or very tiny, berets generally of a medium size are pulled to one side. Dutch caps have turn-back or brims or widely flaring sides. Besides grosgrain ribbon feather clusters and embroidered motifs including the military—figure prominently.

Spring Lingerie Stars for Charm, Durability

Despite wartime rulings on jardsaw, trimmings and dyes, a host of delightful undie fashions has reached the counters of the country's retail shops, satisfying milady's vanity as well as her budget.

Flowered rayon crepes and cottons are among the most popular fabrics in pyjamas, nightie, slips and panties as well as in negligees and gowns to wear at home or en route to and from army camps this Spring. All these styles are fresh-looking and feminine, yet they pack and tub as superbly as any traveler could ask. The superfluous yardage of olden years has been "scrapped" in favor of more form-fitting and thus more flattering silhouettes, yet there is no indication of skimping and short-cutting thanks to the ingenuity of Canadian design.

"LITTLE GIRL" STYLES

The frilly, ruffle 'nonie of a generation ago is back in the lingerie picture, this time with appropriate "1944 flavor." Quick gowns, petticoat-inspired slips, and Victorian-inspired pants are all on the scene together with equally charming tailored styles. Designers have combined the practical with the decorative in every item in their collections for the spring season, and the result is a perfect wardrobe for the girl in the service. Fabrics are constantly being developed, and even though most of them will not make their bow until peacetime, new finishes are already being perfected that mean added vitality and wear for your undie purchases of this season.

Best of all, most of the lingerie success stylers are priced to fit the war bond buying, tax-busy budgets of today's careerist or allotment-chosen home-maker. All in all, the lingerie situation is well in hand, so sally forth and make your own, great choice at your favorite shop.

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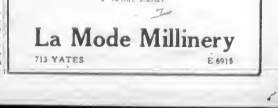

Slim Femininity Dominates Fashion Field

Overblouse "Middy" Silhouette Newest; Two-Piece Look Important; Side Drape a Success

Completely feminine, completely figure-flattering because they are so beautifully moulded and exceedingly simple—that's the Easter dress story in a nutshell. American designers with New York as their fashion headquarters have really proven the fact that for frankly feminine allure, nothing can beat a knowingly cut dress designed to underscore your best figure points. Of course complying with regulations, the slim silhouette predominates, but there is plenty of silhouette news. The overblouse silhouette with long torso moulded bodice and cuffed hipline for a middy effect is the newest silhouette of all. Far from being ingenue, it's sophisticated, exceedingly feminine, definitely spotlight news for Easter through Spring.

One of the smartest versions noted was a navy blue crepe with ladies hipline accent plus two oversize taffeta bows—one at neckline, one at hipline—very flirty-flirty! Slim long sleeves add the perfect finishing touch and make this type of dress a good fashion investment through Spring because you'll wear it smartly with your furs, your "ensemble" coat.

TWO-PIECE LOOK

Slim one-piece dresses that achieve this two-piece look continue to be important. Here we see plenty of tuck-ins for sophisticated shirtwaist dresses with softly bloused tops, sculptured skirts. Forever flattering and playing a return engagement for the Easter parade are peplum dresses. Newest of the new peplums are concentrated in front, many with twin hipline bows for peplum effect. Some are a little more than a soft pert ruffle across the front. The slim side draped silhouette is a big success and marvelously figure-flattering. Some feature side draped skirts, others are completely side draped from neck to hemline—all are fashion favorites.

Stunning is the dress (above) and box coat lined in the same heart print. A two-piece Jiamberg original.

Black and white mix wall in the textured-design bottoms— B. G. E. Originales—which adorns the semi-cardigan suit shows, with buttoned-down shoulder tabs.

Suit dresses, forever fashionable because they are so flattering and versatile are slated for big success, too. Belted fitted jackets, slim skirts, dainty ruffle accents, crisp box trims, strikingly smart stripes—all these are fashion-fresh details for Easter suit dresses. Bolero dresses, young yet sophisticated and wonderful for that slim look are also noted. Straight collarless bolero tops and high-rise skirts combine to really make the bolero fashion news! Set off with fresh white dickey or saucy lingerie bow tie, they are understood for success. Stripes, vivid poster-bright stripes, are the newest accent in the dress picture. Stripes accenting slim coat dresses, stripes forming a bright front for bolero, striped cuffs, striped bows.

SCARF DRESSES, BARED NECKLINES

Newest and most exciting of the short formal party dresses for Spring is the scarf dress! With bared neckline, the briefest of sleeves, and in many cases, completely sleeveless—it is really the answer to the need for that "one wonderful dress" for furlough dating through Spring. With matching scarf which can be easily and gracefully draped, to cover shoulders and achieve the effect of short sleeves, it is completely feminine without the scarf for dinner-dancing when "bets" is to do the town. Very low U-necklines, squared off low necklines, heart necklines and plunging V-necklines are noted in these dresses. Cleverly draped slim skirts and sleek hipline peplums dominate. Incidentally keep your fashion eye on these short, sleeveless scarf dinner dresses for through-Spring and Summer parties.

LOTS OF COLOR

Color plays an important part in the Easter dress picture. Magic-flattering and spirit-lifting to wear are such pure pink-tone beige, clear fresh grey, lilac, pale green. Newest fashion color is tangerine—spicy-medium-sired or big—but checks for Spring. Of course navy is still a big Easter favorite as well as black. Genuine news in color stirring resort combinations are new and news. For instance luggage and navy, clowning pink and navy, grey and daffodil—all stimulating, exciting, smart.

Prints are smaller and prettier, pastel backgrounds look newest. Then there are vivid splashy prints, wonderfully bright and refreshing. Fashion endorses checks, too—tiny, medium-sized or big—but checks for Spring. Of course navy is still a big Easter favorite as well as black. Genuine news in color stirring resort combinations are new and news. For instance luggage and navy, clowning pink and navy, grey and daffodil—all stimulating, exciting, smart.

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Too often a woman will pick up a bottle of perfume on her way out of a store in five minutes—after spending hours for the hat which is perfect for her personality, for her individual needs. The woman who wouldn't be caught dead in a flower-trimmed hat with dripping veil will buy a sweet flower-indented perfume because it is recommended by a friend!
How to avoid obvious mistakes in perfume buying? Here are a few pointers given us by Leigh Perfumers, long established, and who recently brought to the women of this country four new American perfumes.
1. From the tester on your favorite perfume counter, put the perfume actually on your skin. When anything is out of the bottle, alcoholic gases form in the neck of the bottle and you get an untrue scent.
2. Rub perfume into skin so all each person's skin is slightly different and therefore affects the odor of the perfume, making it a purely personal scent.
3. Know the effect you want to create in the world at large, to the special man in particular.
4. Do you wear conservative clothes with a lady-like flair? Then you'll want a floral bouquet which, like Dot, Quiance's lady business, is for your love's sake.
5. Do you have a youthful laughter, always gay (in spite of not always happy experiences) always lifting the hearts of those around you? Then you'll want a provocative scent which expresses the heartbeat of exciting moments.
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Strategy Can Stretch Spring Wardrobe

Bow-Tie and Ruffled Blouses Tops; U-Necklines Spotlighted; Washable Waistcoats News

With suits the No. 1 candidate for fashion fame, Easter through Spring, blouses take top honors as the most important suit accessory. And really the most practical, too, because with a blouse wardrobe, your suit has endless personalities—tailored, dressy, casual as you please. So get on the blouse bandwagon—have yourself a well-planned blouse wardrobe and you're set for Easter through Spring. For the new clean-cut collarless suits, the bow-tie blouse takes top honors. In sportsy white pique, vivid prints, beruffled striped cottons or rayon crepe, they give that hand-best fresh look every time. To dress up your cardigan suit, choose one of the beruffled blouses, many of which have convertible high or low necklines. Long sleeved blouse, with dainty ruffled jabot frills and wrist details are portrait pretty completely charming for Easter Sunday. For town tailleurs, those wonderfully smart one-button suits in fresh chalk stripes or twills, there are scores of blouse beauties. Here again bow-tie blouses are the perfect answer. Sheer organdie with crisp small pin-tucked in another smooth choice. Collarless neckline blouses with tucked bodice front are favorites with tailored or dressmaker suits. As for the soft bright dressmaker suits, the simpler the blouse the better. Frilled blouses for those soft suits have very dainty ruffles to eliminate that overdressed look.

WASHABLE WAISTCOATS NEWS

What's the newest accent for your Easter suit? The crisp waistcoat blouse! Really they're the most wonderful suit accessory of all! Crisply tailored with waistcoat front, they give every suit that Beau-Brummel "dandy" look, add the perfect finishing touch. In snow white pique, vivid stripes, tiny checks, bright pastels, they're young, dashing and because they are washable, they're marvelously practical. So do have a waistcoat for your suit and you'll prize it through Spring and Summer with all your separate skirts.

QUICK-CHANGE DICKEYS

For lightning-quick changes you'll want a supply of spanking-fresh dickeys and gilets. And fashion has worked wonders with them for Easter! Glittering sharkskin, snowy piques, color-bright ruffling taffetas, whoosh'y organdies may be had in a host of styles for every suit—every mood. These include the beloved bow-tie gilet, the new sweater, front," stitched "necklace" gilets. Acres dickeys and fur dress-up, ultra feminine dickeys spilling over with ruffles and lace. All make really delectable suit astounding and there're perfectly attuned to today's capsule wardrobes.

Speak softly of this Spring suit: a typical dressmaker style, fashioned from novelty naphthalated wool.

So soft! So simple! This charming costume blouse, elegant, but not fussy, is made distinctive by the carved crystal-like buttons by B. G. E. Originales.

To market, to market . . . in simply tailored gabardine topped by a smart casual hat. Kinlet gives the finishing touch with these smooth-fitting service gloves, which can steer a bicycle.

Suit-dresses are the thing . . . and this new softly tailored model can be worn as a suit or a dress. In Botany wool crepe.

First Aid To Spring

Accessories Aim To Harmonize

The gaiety and light-heartedness of Spring has been captured in a versatile collection of accessories, to put the finishing touches to Spring ensembles. Harmony, rather than exact matching, is the theme this season. Blending shades wing color-softness which, in turn, keeps a firm grip on femininity. The right accessory for the right occasion works like magic with today's functional wearables, and with so many of our Canadian women at work, accessory trickery is an essential.

Novelty costume jewelry has its own immutable way of dressing up casuals beyond recognition. The feather-weight plastics, ceramics and woods have been fashioned into the most exciting pins, earrings and necklaces, colorfully designed to serve as important right touches. The more tailored offerings do well for office wear, while the slightly more elaborate designs can pick up the same basic duds for a dinner date!

The same transformation idea is carried out in waistline flattery. Belts possess the blessed faculty for lending either formality or casualness to an outfit. Smart tailored buckles or chic jewel or bow arrangements may be the deciding factor here. In the season of skirt and blouse popularity, the belt can make or break the figure. Narrow belts for pluralists, figures wider belts for too slim waistlines are two good axioms to be remembered. Cape-skins kidskins and crocheted creations in a wide variety of colors are Spring triumphs.

The bag presentation this Spring includes fascinating interpretations, such as bags in high shades for casual wear, tailored calf envelope bags constructed to take good hard everyday use, gimmp and other soft silk fabrics for cocktail hour and theatre going, all of them with spacious interiors. Under-arm and bridle models are in the swim.

"Dress" cigarettes, of small fold flowers, "sachettes" of ribbon holding a single flower or studded with a rhinestone, tuck-in combs with perky bows attached are beguiling head-dress arrangements for gay Spring evenings.

Girls' New Clothes Get Attention

Contrary to all other seasonings the difficult-to-obtain classic is considered top Spring accessorizing. Young women are offering varying scope of full and interesting role this from which to make selections.

The fashions for these girls are presented this Spring, offering complete units for an effortless wardrobe at one time in the form of a larger number of outfits than ever before, with actually enough changes in the perky bows attached are beguiling head-dress arrangements for gay Spring evenings.

Greater variety in the styling of the sweater is the high note for sporting clothes are presented in pro-nounced-border prints and ethnic patterns also bright checks and stripes in gingham, chambrays sweaters, piques. Mexican themes appear in bright colored embroidery, in white and gay prints the latter used in skirts worn with short white tops.

DARING DRESSES

For sunset wear gauzes and chiffon are in great favor in many interpretations. Never ones are styled with backs and sides built up making the look optional. The dirndl with its neckline ruff or puff sleeves and ruffles will be much in the picture.

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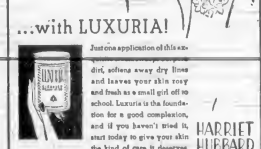

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2 STORES

To the Ladies . . .

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MAPLE LEAF FOUNTAIN

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Easter Tip!

Lacy or tailored dickies are sugar and spice for your Easter ensemble. Look for your pet, at your favorite neckwear counter.

First Spring Handbags

Jas. McMartin LEATHER GOODS

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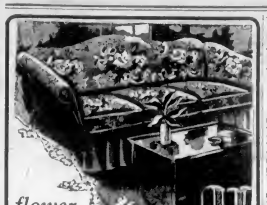
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Unitys Win B.C. Crown

Wally Yeamans' Team in Victory

Wally Yeamans' Unitys last night took the British Columbia senior "B" girls' basketball championship, winning a sudden-death game at Victoria High School with Vancouver Normal School, 33-31. Bill Neelands, coach of the Vancouver team, presented the Unitys with the Woodward Cup.

In a fast, exciting exhibition game, Victoria K.V.'s beat Vancouver Arrow Transfers, Coast intermediate "A" champions, 34-26, in overtime.

Bob Whyte's intermediate "B" girls, the Comets, lost, 30-13, to Vancouver Redlands in a sudden-death game for the British Columbia championship.

The Normal School girls' defeat last night was their second in 39 games with teams of their class. Unitys took a 10-4 first-quarter lead but the Vancouver girls evened things at half time, 13-13.

After the breather, Unitys, sparked by Eileen Day, took the lead again and made it 26-22 at the three-quarter mark. Vancouver had the edge towards the end. In the last half-minute, Unitys, with Margaret Loudon off with a hurt ankle and two others off on personals, were playing one short. The whistle blew just before Kay Wilson sank what would have been Vancouver's tieing basket.

K.V.'s, using a combination of juniors, intermediate "B" and "A" players, had the edge at the start, were down 16-21 at half-time and 25-27 at the three-quarter, but came back strongly enough to make a last score of 33-30. All overtime scoring was on free shots.

Vancouver Redlands played a heavier team than Comets and had a 20-7 lead at half-time. Scores of the last two quarters were 7-7 and 3-1.

LINE-UPS

Vancouver Normal school — Rita Calverly, Ruth Cowens 7, Evelyn Jespricon, Jean Kery 4, Peggy Treasure, Kay Watson 20, Lorna Lancour; total 31.

Unitys—Vicky Bourns 4, E. Crossan, Eileen Day 17, Florence Kennedy 6, B. Longstaff, Margaret Loudon, May Podell 6; total 33.

Referees: Wally Henderson (Vancouver), Quentin Moore.

Vancouver Arrows—Bossons, Scarr 9, Campbell 11, Latham 2, McGeer 9, Holmes 6, Stevenson 2; total 36.

K.V.'s—Anderson 3, Stewart 16, C. McKay, Hampton 4, E. McKay 9, Walker, Derr, Howell 7, Trace, Johnstone 4, Turner 3, Long; total 36.

Referee: Henderson.

Vancouver Redlands — Beverly Slater 11, Nora McDermott 4, Ruth Garnett 2, Dorothy Vincent 8, Daryl Vincent 2, Eileen Eyseck, Heidi Watts, Janet Watson, Audrey Greves; total 30.

Comets — Lorraine McDonald 4, Joyce Bradshaw, Jenny Robbins, Dorothy Bradshaw, Evelyn Hurst 2, Olive Mair, Jeannie Cunningham, Thelma Whyte 9, Maud Wallace; total 18.

Of the Normal-School girls, Leona Lancour is from Cumberland.

Hank Armstrong Whips Zanelli

BOSTON, March 24 (CP)—Hammerin' Henry Armstrong, boxing's former triple champion, gained his third decisive triumph in ten nights by outpunching rugged Ralph Zanelli, of Providence, tonight in a unanimous ten-round decision before a 13,241 crowd at the Boston Garden. Armstrong weighed 142 and Zanelli 146.

Sport Shorts From Britain

By ALLAN NICKLESON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WITH THE R.C.A.F. OVERSEAS HEADQUARTERS IN BRITAIN, March 24 (CP). — Basketball, gaining prestige rapidly in popularity among Canada's overseas forces, steps into stride with a couple of title tilts that found star players of prewar days back from training camps & "borrowed" British Army gymnasium.

Playing in the Bower Base League, within the Canadian Overseas Division, Headquarters upset all calculations by toppling Limited 36-30 after trailing at halftime. Eastmoor whipped Thollthorpe 22-13 in the other match.

Cage enthusiasts in Canada will remember Bill Mallwarka as Bill Caithness, who came into the air force by way of Winnipeg and scored nine of Headquarters' points, and Jim Gelsobel, of Vancouver, who added six more, and Arnold Tobin, of Toronto, and Flash Orma, of Windsor, Ont.

Maxie Appleboom, of Toronto, set the pace for Eastmoor with eight points. Mack Howard, of Windsor, and Jack Karry, of Toronto, were other high scorers for the victors.

Other performers in the two matches included Fred Sward, Toronto; Dave Young, Vancouver; Walt Morgan, Montreal; Ray Pedell, Kitchener; Wilbur MacDonald, Ottawa; Horace Dery, Quebec City, and Art Plumber, Saint John, N.B.

Down in London Town a team from the Women's Division of the R.C.A.F., playing under men's rules, trounced a team of English girls from the Eastbury Club, 16-8. Playing together as a team for the first time, the airwomen hope to become part of a house league now under organization.

Among the Canadians were Assistant Section Officer Christine Smith, Montreal, and L.A.W.'s Alice Dalgrish and Terry Vannier, both of Vancouver; Phyllis Rogers, Edmonton, and Iris Eastwood, of Saskatoon.

Later, an A.T.S. team, managed by Mary Churchill, daughter of the Prime Minister, lost to a varsity-sleepping team of American Waacs.

Back again to Benuer Group, where a few cuff-notes show that Herbie Wilson, who made quite a name for himself in Montreal football circles a while back, is an electrical engineering officer with the rank of flying officer on a station commanded by Group Captain W. A. Jones, of Vancouver.

"Well known in athletic circles around Moose Jaw a couple of cousins got together the other day for a bit of reunion. They were F.O. Buds Sutherland, of the Ohoki Squadron, who just completed his 50th operational sortie, and P.O. Waddy Hall engineering officer at another station.

Prominent member of the Hamilton Gun Club in peacetime, F.O. J. R. Calderbank, of the Biscia Squadron, ran off 50 straight at a skeet-shooting competition held as part of the training activities. That is bad for German night fighters because Calderbank is a gunner.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 26 (CP)—Coach Johnny Dorrell personally conducted his Indianapolis Capitals back into the limit of their American Hockey League play-off series with Buffalo tonight by slamming home four goals in six minutes and nine seconds of a hectic third period for a 6-3 decision.

The triumph, achieved after Buffalo had seized a 2-0 advantage, was Indianapolis' first in three play-off meetings with the Bisons.

Navy Wins Game

The Navy ruled the ice on Thursday evening at the Willows Arena when a hockey game between Navy Telegraphists and Army signallers ended in an 11-to-9 win for the Navy. This marked their second victory over the Army lads.

An analysis of the scoring shows B. Thompson, Rochford, Pinch and Worley as scorers for the blue, while Fressly, Shilling, James, Wilson, Reid and Lake made the counts for the khaki. Thomson, in the Navy goal, made some nice saves, and Ellis, Army net tender, allowed the Navy only a two-goal lead.

The end of the first period showed the Army leading with a one-goal margin, but the Navy evened up the score early in the second and kept ahead until the final bell.

Both teams are looking forward to another game in the near future when the Army hopes to chalk up a winning game.

CLEVELAND BARONS WIN

HERSHEY, Pa., March 25 (CP) — The Cleveland Barons took the lead in the first round of the American Hockey League play-offs by defeating the Hershey Bears, 4 to 2, before 3,778 fans here tonight.

The Barons, defeated here Thursday night, came back with the power that carried them to the top of the Western half of the league. The Barons scored first on Dan Egerat's goal in the opening period and boosted their lead when Pete Horeck looped in an easy shot from near the blue line in the last minute of the period.

MIL OTT IS DEFERRED

LAKEWOOD, N.J., March 25 (CP) —Mel Ott's physical examination preliminary to military induction apparently was deferred for one month when Harry O Meicht, chairman of the Lakewood draft board, announced today the New York Giants' manager would not take the examination Monday because his papers are not here.

Soccer Game Today

The play-off match for the Second Division honors in the Victoria and District Canadian Soccer Football League will be staged this afternoon at Hollywood Avenue ground this afternoon at 2:30 between the V.M.D. and the R.A.F. Dave McMillan will be handling the whistle.

CARPET BOWLING NEWS

The following matches have been fixed to be played in the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League tournament in progress at the Foresters' Hall.

Monday — Open doubles: Currie and Dennison vs. Bridges and Cruickshank; Drummond and Dyer vs. Jenkins and Colvin; Whittle and Townsend vs. Leiper and Thomas.

Tuesday — Army and Navy Cup Final: Willows Rangers (J. Leiper, skip) vs Esquimalt Rovers (C. Fairall, skip).

Kiwanis Cup Final—Willows Park (W. Cull, skip) vs. A.O.F. Friars (J. Whittle, skip).

CAPTURES CAGE HONORS

NEW YORK, March 25 (CP)—Aud Brintley went on a 36-point scoring spree tonight to give Dartmouth's Eastern League champions the National Collegiate AA Eastern sectional basketball title with a 60-to-52 triumph over Ohio State's Big Ten Court Kings at Madison Square Garden.

GOLF PLAY-OFF SET

The winners of the monthly competitions for the past six months will play off today at the Victoria Golf Club. Players will arrange their own starting times and the draw follows: W. H. Newcombe, H. A. Tomalin and R. H. S. Ker; Walter Newcombe and H. B. Hepburn.

Sprig has cub!
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(From a letter by B.B.)
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Sometimes Scarce . . .

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QUICKIES

—I figured it'd be easier to get some help with a Lobman Want Ad!"

SUPERMAN — *First Sight!* — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

DON'T BE RIDICULOUS! HOW COULD CLARK KENT BE SUPERMAN?
A MAN CAN'T CHANGE HIS WHOLE PERSONALITY!
A-H... THERE'S THE WOMAN WHOSE BEEN THE MOST BRILLIANT WOMAN IN THE WORLD!
WITH WHOM I'VE BEEN IN LOVE FOR YEARS!
DON'T BE SILLY, LOIS! YOU SURE DO KNOW HOW TO LOSE ALL REASON WHEN YOU'RE IN LOVE!
AND NOW SHOULD PURNISH COMMUNISM WITH THE ATOM BOMB!
BUT AS THE DISGUISED SUPERMAN'S HANDSOME FACE SHOT STARS THROUGH THE MENTAL CAR-
WHAT GOES ON? SOMEBODY KNOCKED MY HAT OFF!

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

BUT, MISS WORTH! — HOW COULD YOU KNOW HOW I FEEL TOWARD GYPSY?
BECAUSE SHE'S TOLD ME HOW SHE FEELS TOWARD YOU, CAPTAIN! TO SAY IT'S MUTUAL WOULD BE AN UNDERSTATEMENT!
BEING A MAN OF HONOR, YOU'VE PUT HER OUT OF YOUR LIFE, BECAUSE OF YOUR BRUTISH-NESS, WHICH MEANS FOUR PEOPLE WILL BE CHEATED
GYPSY, WHO LOVES YOU—YOU WHO LOVE GYPSY—BUD, WHO WOULD NEVER BE HAPPY WITH HER—AND THE GIRL YOU WILL MARRY, WHOM SHE WILL MAKE HAVING FORGOTTEN GYPSY!
BUT, WHAT CAN I—!
SUPPOSE YOU LEAVE IT TO ME! GO HOME, ENJOY THE REST OF YOUR FURLOUGH—AND REMEMBER, IN LOVE AND DREAMS, ANYTHING CAN HAPPEN!

POPEYE

POP — *High Cost of Higher Education* — By J. Millar Watt

I SAY! MY SON'S LANGUAGE IS COSTING SOMETHING
ONE HUNDRED BUCKS FOR LATIN!
A HUNDRED AND FIFTY FOR GREEK!
TWO HUNDRED FOR SCOTCH!

MUTT AND JEFF — *Maybe Jeff Was an Old-Time Caddy* — By Bud Fisher

WHAT'S A GOOD LOOKING FOR JEFF?
A HALF DOLLAR: WILL YOU HELP ME LOOK FOR IT, MUTT?
SURE!
JUST WHERE ABOUTS DID YOU LOSE IT?
OH, I DIDN'T LOSE ANY! I'M JUST HOPING I'LL FIND ONE!

FLYIN' JENNY — *Watchword—Sincerity!* — By Keaton and Chaffin

THIS RELAY TALK VIA A INTERPRETER IS GONNA BE SLOW GOIN' SUGAR.
JUST GIVES YOU A ROUGH IDEA OF WHAT OUR SIDE WILL BE UP AGAINST AT THE PEACE TABLE
AMERICANS ARE ENEMIES OF JAPAN, WHO ARE OUR FRIENDS BESIDES WHERE ARE THEIR GIFTS?
MUST I AGAIN BE MIND YOU OF THE TREACHERY OF THE JAPANESE WHO WRECKED YOUR TEMPLE AS FOR THE GIFT—
LT. HURST TRANSLATES AND ADDS—
SO BE CAREFUL TO WATCH YOUR THOUGHTS STRAIGHT—AND SINCERE AND GIVE LOVE'S DEPENDED ON IT.
DON'T WORRY I COULDN'T BE MORE SINCERE IF OUR LOVE'S DEPENDED ON IT.
THEY DO, DADDY AND NOW!

THE NEBBS — *Dangerous Work* — By Hess

THIS HOTEL IS FILLING UP FASTER THAN A LEAKY OVERSHOE
AMBROSE, SHOULD BE HAPPY AT THIS TROUBLE, HE HAD WITH THE BOND-HOLDERS
HERE WAS BUSTLE CAUSED IT UNTIL HE MADE HER THINK AMBY WAS SOFT ON HER
THE HUST TO AVOID FURTHER TROUBLE, SHE PRACTICALLY PLANS THE COMMITTEE
POOR AMBY!
HE HAS TO CARRY ON FOR CASA, AS TRUSTEE, HE'S PAID FOR IT
CARRY ON WITH BIRDIE VAN BUSTLE—SHE'S AN OCCUPATIONAL HAZARD!

BLONDIE — *Their Constitutional Rights!* — By Chic Young

HEY! YOU KIDS SHOULDN'T COME BUSTING IN HERE! CAN'T A MAN HAVE PRIVACY IN HIS OWN BATHROOM WHEN HE'S TAKING A BATH?
THIS IS A DEMOCRACY, ISN'T IT?

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The Daily Colonist

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1 BIRTHS

BEASLEY—To Pilot Officer Noble and Mrs. Beasley (nee Dorothy Hamilton), at Victoria, on Friday, February 25, 1944, a son, Peter Gordon.

MACINTOSH—To Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Macintosh, at Victoria, on Saturday, March 18, a son.

MUNRIE—On Sat. J. W. Munrie, R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Munrie (nee Dorothy Hamilton), at St. John's Nursing Institute, March 18, a daughter.

TUCKWELL—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tuckwell (nee Mary Mortimer), at Victoria, March 18, a son.

2 DEATHS

SHELLY—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, March 23, Charles Shelly, late of 1010 Burdett Avenue, aged 71 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Shelly, one son and two grandchildren. Funeral notice later. Rev. Dr. J. C. Wood will conduct the service at 2 o'clock from the Residence Chapel, Thursday, March 30. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

KNOX—In this city, March 24, Mary Knox, aged 77 years, beloved wife of Dan Knox. She has been a resident of Beaumont, Glen Mona and Cowichan Bay districts for many years. She is survived by one son, Arthur, of Victoria, and by one brother, W. A. Knox, of Duncan. Funeral service will be held at the Chapel of Day & Pemberton, 1625 Quadra Street, on Tuesday, March 28, at 2 p.m. Rev. Dr. Wood officiating. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

LE PAGE—In this city there passed away, Saturday, March 25, James Le Page, aged 76 years. He was born in Quebec, but has lived in Victoria for the past 50 years. He was a member of Victoria Lodge No. 1, A.F. & A.M., and of Victoria Chapter, R.A.M. He is survived by his loving wife, Mary Le Page, two sons, Harold and Percy Le Page, and one daughter, Mrs. Ethel Hall, all of Victoria. Funeral service will be held from Day & Pemberton's Chapel, 1625 Quadra Street, on Tuesday, March 28, at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. J. C. Wood will officiate. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MANSON—There passed away at her home, 864 Fleming Street, on Thursday, March 23, Mary Manson, aged 74 years. She was a native of Scotland and had lived in Victoria for 52 years. She is survived by one son, Alexander, of Victoria, and one daughter, Mrs. Jessie Hall, of Victoria. Funeral service will be held from the Chapel of Day & Pemberton, 1625 Quadra Street, Mrs. A. T. Hill, of the Salvation Army, officiating, on Monday, March 27, at 2 p.m. Interment in Victoria Memorial Park.

A OLD-TIME DANCE, A.O.F. HALL, Wednesday, March 29, 8:30 p.m. Moose Orchestra. Proceeds Victoria Local Council of Women.

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GORGE

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Located in the city and overlooking the Gorge waterway. Has a fine view of the entire harbour and river. Fruit and bulbs trees and assorted small berries. The residence consists of six rooms (a sunroom) complete with all modern conveniences. Hardwood floors throughout. Panelled walls. Fireplace. Two-car garage.

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Radio to Assist Shower of Dimes

This year's April Shower of Dimes, annual drive for the Queen Alexandra Solarium, will be bigger and better than ever if present plans are any indication.

The campaign will be highlighted by a radio broadcast over station CJVI every Monday of the month of time having been donated by the management. These programmes are scheduled for 9 p.m., immediately following the popular children's quiz "What Do You Know About the War?" Proceeds from the latter, which have been going to the Red Cross, will now benefit the Solarium Junior League.

Members of the League's board of directors, including E. W. McMullen, Dr. Richard Pelton, Walter Luther and George Brown, will be featured as "armchair generals" on next Monday's quiz. Kenneth McAllister is the fifth member of the team.

Meeting at CJVI yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Arthur Chapman, convener of the "Dimes" committee, and Mrs. Jack Mercer, publicity director, conferred with Miss Stella Graves, Miss Jura Bosvan and Robert Willett of the station staff, mapping out a series of programmes, details of which will be announced next week.

What Today Means

"ARIES"

If March 26 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8:15 to 11:15 a.m., from 1:15 to 3:15 p.m., and from 7:15 to 9:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:15 to 9:15 a.m., from 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. and from 9:15 to 11:15 p.m.

Just bear in mind today that "the better the day the better the deed," especially when it comes to performing any kind of a duty, so it will be a mistake to use Sunday as a pretext to delay doing anything that you know should be done. You may have a great deal to gain if you will try to adjust your time to suit someone else's convenience. As any exhibition of grouchiness today is apt to have a very unfavorable reaction upon those who have to suffer from it, level-headed people will make every effort to overcome any tendency they might have to act as if they had a bad case of the pip. Married and engaged couples, and those engrossed in courtship, might find it helpful to remember that "all creeds and opinions are nothing but the mere result of chance and temperament," so they are deserving of both respect and thoughtful consideration, too, if harmonious conditions are to prevail.

If a woman and March 26 is your birthday, you must not let an enthusiastic nature ever carry you into the realm of fanaticism. If you wish to keep from endangering the high regard your friends now accord you. You should possess many lovable attributes and a steadfastness of purpose that will win you the admiration of many persons. You should always endeavor to maintain an open mind so that fixed opinions will not retard your intellectual growth. As a teacher, personal director, business manager, sales representative, demonstrator, writer, actress, trained nurse, government employee, public office holder, musician, artist, interior decorator, or through some well-directed effort on your part to make the home front line of production more effective, you may find yourself with ample cause to be very grateful for your results.

The child born on March 26 has generally a latent talent deserving of development. Children born under this sign have usually plenty of vitality, keen powers of observation and excellent memories. A very bright future appears to be the birthright of youngsters born under this sign.

If a man and March 26 is your natal day you should possess a remarkable amount of initiative, shrewd business instincts and more than your share of luck. As a lawyer, physician, pharmacist, dentist, photographer, engineer, architect, educator, author, journalist, business executive, sales agent, agriculturist, soldier, sailor, or aviator, great success should crown your efforts.

MONDAY, MARCH 27

"ARIES"

If March 27 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., and from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The danger periods are from 1:30 to 3:30 a.m. and from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. and 9:30 to 11:30 p.m.

Any departure from the average person's daily routine may be rather difficult today, but their ultimate results may more than compensate them, for any inconvenience that they may have to endure. Do not waste time speculating on what may not be the matter with anybody or anything, but take the bull by the horns and ask questions and a satisfactory solution to your quandary is apt to be found. Therefore the maintenance of personal dignity and a level head may be accomplished for a lack of it, apparently, will be the primary cause of most of today's unfavorable reactions. Married and

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Anti-Vivisectionists

The board of the local Anti-Vivisection Society has recently sent a letter of appreciation to an American editor who criticized the opposition of self-interested persons to Nurse Kenny's cures for infantile paralysis victims. Copies of the editorial were received here by mail.

At the same meeting attention was drawn to the offer of Sir Victor Mackenzie to finance a naturopathic establishment in connection with the University of British Columbia.

Protests were lodged with Canadian and United States broadcasting companies, which the anti-vivisectionists state are planning misleading and unobtainable educational broadcasts under a youth programme. Withdrawal of the talks has been requested.

Several new members have been enrolled in the local society, which will hold its birthday tea and sale at the Y.W.C.A. on Saturday afternoon, April 1. Mrs. M. Beazer will convene, and half the proceeds will go to help animals in war areas.

The air-cooled radial engine which contributed much to the development of aviation, actually was invented before the first airplane.

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RURAL DELIVERY SCHEDULES
For Easter Week

For the convenience of our out-of-town customers, deliveries will be made on Wednesday and Thursday before Good Friday.

Kindly place your order in advance so that we may deliver it on time.

THURSDAY, APRIL 6

Mount Newton	Cobble Hill	Royal Oak
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Deep Cove	Cowichan Station	Keating
Sidney	Duncan	Elk Lake
Rest Haven	Maple Bay	Tod Inlet
James Island	Mill Bay	
	Koksilah	
Two Mile Point	Jordan River	WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5
Cordova Bay	Otter Point	Sooke
		Saseenos
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Little Stories for Bedtime

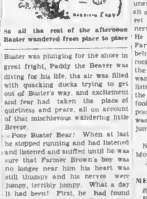
By THORNTON W. BURGESS

POOR JUMPY BUSTER BEAR

Oh, Buster Bear, Oh, Buster Bear—
What makes your heart so thumpy?
How is it you, so big and strong,
Can be so very jumpy?

Dear me, what a lot of things can happen from one small beginning! You drop a stone in a pond and at once see a lot of little waves in the shape of rings that travel and travel and grow and bigger until at last they reach the shore and once more the pond is quiet and smooth. That stone is a little thing of no account in itself, but its ripples it starts over the whole pond. It is just that way in life. You never can tell what you are starting or where it will end. It is a whole lot like a row of blocks. You push the first one so that it falls against the second one, and the second one falls against the third, and so on until the whole row has fallen.

It was just like that when a mischievous wandering Little Breeze found Farmer Brown's boy sitting half hidden on the bank of the pond of Paddy the Beaver and started the smell of him sat to tickle the nose of Buster Bear, who was having a bath and a beautiful time as well swimming about in Paddy's pond. Now wasn't that a simple thing to do? Wasn't it? You are what happened. One minute the pond lay quiet and peaceful in the heart of the Green Forest with Buster Bear lazily swimming about happy and contented, and the next minute



Buster Bear

So all the rest of the afternoon Buster wandered from place to place

Buster was plunging for the shore in great fright, Paddy the Beaver was diving for his life, the air was filled with quacking ducks trying to get out of Buster's way, and excitement and fear had taken the place of quietness and peace, all on account of that mischievous wandering little Breeze.

Poor Buster Bear! When at last he stopped running and had listened and listened and sniffed until he was sure that Farmer Brown's boy was no longer near him his heart was still thumpy and his nerves were jumpy, terribly jumpy. What a day it had been! First, he had found the storehouse of Jimmy Pee, and in spite of the stings of Busy Bees and her comrades had been perfectly happy as he greedily feasted on the hard to make and which is the one thing in all the Great World which Buster likes best. Then had come a yell from Farmer Brown's boy which had frightened him so that he had simply let go and dropped from that tree clear to the ground, covering himself with bumps. And now after hurting to leave had that delicious honey. After this he had gone to the pond of Paddy the Beaver and in the comfort of a peaceful swim had almost forgotten the fright he had had, when along came that wandering Little Breeze and brought him that—dreaded—man smell, and now more he had to take to his heels.

Now you know, and I know, that Farmer Brown's boy had had no idea of seeing Buster Bear again when he went to the pond of Paddy the Beaver. He had gone there for the very same reason that a little later Buster had gone there—to get cool we must to take out the smarts from the stings of the bees. But Buster didn't know this. He was sure that Farmer Brown's boy had followed him. There wasn't the least doubt of it in Buster's mind. And the fact that Farmer Brown's boy had surprised him twice in one day gave Buster Bear the idea he destroyed all confidence in himself. It gave him the feeling that he couldn't get away from Farmer Brown's boy. He never had been so uneasy in all his life. He couldn't sit still. No place in the Green Forest seemed lonesome enough. His nerves jumped at every little sound. He more than half expected to see Farmer Brown's boy step out from behind each tree or smash pile or rock which he approached. So all the rest of that afternoon Buster wandered about from place to place listening, sniffing, ready to run at the first suspicious sound. Fear, foolish fear, had taken complete possession of Buster Bear. His heart was thumpy and his nerves were jumpy. Poor Buster Bear!

Next story: Whitefoot the Wood Mouse Makes Buster Bear Run.

(Released by Associated Newspapers)

MERE MAN FAILS

SALT LAKE CITY, March 25 (C-Robert Eyre failed to win through neighborhood contests to enter with eight girls—finals of a city cake-making contest.

bake a successful cake today and the girls won—frosting up.

Do What Your Doctor Does If Child Is Listless

Because the tongue is the mirror and of the stomach and bowels, it is really the first thing your doctor looks at when your child is listless. He knows that a coated tongue and bad breath is a danger signal — a warning of an upset condition below, which may lead to real illness.

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